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### Sir Robert Urquhart UK'S CHINA

(Exclusive to the "China Mail")

"People everywhere are watching eagerly to see how China develops, and if in the human order of things mistakes are made, then they will be readily excused in view of the proofs which the new Government has already given of its admirable desire to seek progress on sound and just lines."

This statement was made by Sir Robert Urquhart, British Consul-General in Shanghai, in a speech before a crowded meeting of the Sino-British Cultural Association, according to arrivals from Shanghai.

long realised that change was

bound to come in Asla, that when

it came it would probably come

with a rush-"as indeed it has"-

and that there might well be an

interruption in the life of foreign

communities and in the foreign

trade on which they, and of

course China itself to an impor-

tant degree, depend for their

portance of China trade for Bri-

well under two per cent of

Britain's foreign trade, and the

Britain's carnings from foreign

"Nevertheless, we very much

want to continue and develop

that trade, and we hope that

In what He described as a sur-

vey of the China scene "with an

understanding . and . sympathetic

"We foreigners have divested

eye." Sir Robert Urquhort sold:

ourselves of our extraterritorial

Shanghai through the civil war

without the benefit of foreign

man Mao that law-abiding for-

POur confidence in him was

|community law-abiding and co-

leffect then Indeed we feel en-

couraged, even if at other times

we feel a little discouraged by the

occasional 'newspaper' article which, to our reading, hardly

seems to do justice to our sinceri-

ty and willingness to work with

"Obviously we must put in a

rights; we decided to stay on in

trade over the years.

China does so too."

Tiny percentage

"I might interpolate here

the world."

an unofficial capacity, it was the first public

pronouncement with frequent references to

China made by a prominent Briton since

British recognition of the People's Government.

ing to make his due contribution

Nehru-hits

propaganda

on Kashmir

.. New Delhi, February 6.

ported by the foreign Press."

ing Indians in South Airles.

clared: "I stake my reputation on

it, all that I have lived for and all

Foreign Press

Mr. Nehru sald: "There is

far too much propaganda go-

lying kind, and attempts have

been made to hring pressure

upon us, more expecially in

recard to Kashmir.

blaze of day."-Reuter.

proviso here. We still have to accompanied by the destroyers

Papple's Government, In the this morning for Hong Kide

leach under what conditions the Thomason and Anderson, salled

lang term, will allow foreigners | The Navy also announced that

to yeside and trade here, but the heavy cruiser USB Teledo.

USS Boxer sails

for Hong Kong

The U.S. aircraft carrier Boxer,

Yokosuka, February f.

"At the moment China is fac- anteed but we have faith, other-

ed, like our own country, with wise we would not be here; faith

Sir Robert said the British had to the common welfare."

foreign trade for China, so it is Pakistan about Kashmir

the extreme."

#### \* Although the address was made by Sir Robert in-Nehru\_says Goa must return to India

New Deihl: February 6. The Prime Minister, Pandit Nehru, told Parliament today that the Portuguese postes. sion of Goa "will have to come to india."

He made the statement. which was greeted with 'prolonged cheers, when asked whether his altention had been drawn to remarks made by the Portuguese Consul-General in East Africa that the merger of Gon with India would endanger Christianity, because india's popue lation was mainly. Hindu .---Reuter.

### international rice conference

in Bangkok Rangoon, February 6: -Delegates-from--14-countriestoday attended the opening l here of the International Rice Commission's second annual

conference. Commission chairman The Princo Sithiporn Kridakara of Thalland (Slam); told the Commission it must continue to be spurred to action by the rapid increase of the world's population.

This, he said, had created a great need for food conservation. Prince Sithiporn told the delogates they must not be couraged because results were slow in coming. This, he said, was inevitable due to agricultural research, which was dependent

upon the seasons of nature. Final -results, he declared, would prove of inestimable Value to the human race, whose

first requirement is food. With flags of the United Nations i military protection, relying as forming a backdrop, the delegates we did on the promise of Chairwere welcomed by Burma's newly appointed Minister of Agriculture, eighers would suffer no harm.

Bo Khin Maung Galo. and reports by various committees like the new administration. They Nehru said. established by the committee.

Australia, Burma, Ceylon, France, India, Indonesia, Italy, Korea; the Portugal, Thalland, the United Kingdom and the United States. Also attending were observers from the World Health Organisathe U.N. Economic, Scientific and Cultural Organization A Droviso. (UNESCO), General Douglas MacArthur's Allled occupation Asia and the Far Fast (ECAFE).

-Associated Press.

At 0000 GMT (2 p.m. HKST) a moderate anti-evolone has built up over the Pacific to, the B. of Japan with a ridge of high pressure : extending ! Westwards serous the Eastern Sec. A depreision is forming over the Yellow Bea. Today's Forecast; Light or jupderate BE winds. Cloudy with hight periods,

Rather warmer william to Maximum's, 68.6 deg. Fah. Minimum 1 187.0 Auch Pabi, Bunakiwe st. 4.4 hours.

Rainfalls: Nil. Total signo war. Rel Brandste

#### Secretary of Tram Union deported

LI Man-hol. Secretary of the Tramway Workers Union, was deported by the Government yesterday under the Deportation of Allens Ordinance. The secretary's deportation followed that of the three

ported on February 1. The previous deporters were Lau Fat, Chairman of the Hong Kong Tramway Workers Union, and two other

Union officials who were de-

Midiala: of themonion: onis Wan and Chou Chaung. Li and the three other deportees were among those arrested by the police following the Russell Street clash on

January 30. Meanwhile the tramway workers said last night that they were prepared to go back to work but they insisted upon resumption of talks after the service is resumed. (See page three)

### Times" sees Red pressure on **-HK\_increasing\_**

New York, February 6. A "New York Times" editorlal, pointing out that Communist pressure on Hong Kong is increasing, said today:

"The Hong Kong honeymoon that was supposed to follow British recognition of the Communist much adversity", Sir Robert said, that there is no real obstacle to regime in China is being post-"but we all know well that given satisfactory diplomatic relations, poned for a while. The Coma couple of good harvests, given that practical peoples such as we munist radio is now ascalling the which there is such welcome hope we are ourselves, cannot role in the island's trolley strike evidence, this country will reco- fail to reach mutually beneficial and the Communists are making ver very quickly from the effects economic arrangements, and con- it plain that they propose to put of her many years of war and be fidence that social conditions in and keep pressure on the British able effectively to take her place the New China will not be such to as great on extent as they

among the leading countries of as to exclude any foreigner will- can... "The British apparently assumed that the basic reason for watablishing some sort of normal relations Jay, in Hong Kong's bulging-warshouses. The British heavy needed trade and the Com- all planes returned to Taiwan munists needed goods. But to safely. date the Canton-Kowloon Rallway which would take the goods into Communist China is atill interrupted by the Communists.

Alleged assurances Pandit Nehru, the Indian "British recognition was based passing that just as it is possible Prime Minister, today conto exaggerate the importance of demned the propaganda in on a desire to safeguard if possias | ble the gigantic investment in possible to exaggerate the im- "monstrous and scandalous in China and in Hong Kong. It was reported, although such a thin;

He added: "My patience is get- | could obviously not be confirmed ting-a-bit exhausted with this that the Communists had given compaign of calumny, often sup- assurances that British trade in general and in Hong Kong in Mr. Nehru, addressing his week- particular would receive favoure ly Press conference, said that treatment if Britain took the lead India had made it perfectly clear in recognising the legality of the that she was prepared to lift the new regime in China.... "This confidence in Chinese trade ban on South Africa if the

profits derived therefrom have South African Government sus- Communists' good behaviour as been but a tiny percentage of pended the action it took regard- for as the Britain is concerned appears to have been ure-Stating that every step taken mature. .. Recovery of Hong Kons by him regarding Kashmir was has been proclaimed the Chinese 'dead right," Mr. Nehru, in a Communist aim. The tempo of the voice quivering with emotion, de- Communist attack in East Asia accelerating and Britain may feel stronger pressures sooner than expected."-United Press.

### ing on in the foreign Press and Strike

"That pressure has the effect Tokyo, February 6. Japanese moderate leaders of sky. of making it clear that these questions are not being consider- nearly three million trade union-Today's session included state- brilliantly justified by events and ed on merits but because of en- ists today, threatened the governments from heads of delegations businessmen- tell mo that they tirely different reasons," Mr. ment with a nation-wide general strike unless civil servants wages are happy to record instance after | "This method of international were increased." ...

instance of just and honest treat- politics, of bringing pressure to The leaders representing half ment in the conduct of day-to- hear for other reasons, is some- of Japan's trade union members Bund on the Pootung day affairs, and if I am correctly thing which the ! Government of accused the government of dis- front. informed, it was recognised, by India has not learned to under- regarding the advice by the an official personage in Shanghai stand yet., and the people who instional personnel authority (adthat he had found the British run the Government of India visory, board ordered by General have a record in the past for MacArthur) that the civil serstanding for what they consider vanta' basic wage should be into be right, regardless of the creased from 6,807 yen monthly consequences, and they propose to 7,877 yen.

quences would be on the head of French Concession. It is about time. Mr. Nehrul Mr. Yoshida, according to an hendquarters in Japan, and the line not sure of the precise and that every single fact about official statement issued by the fences put up an intensive bar-U.N. Economic Commission for wording, but if they were to that Kashmir was brought into the Joint Diet struggle committee. rage throughout the raid, and a large-scale offensive. Resident the Resident the laded we feel on-Thirty-five mitional unions, in many pedestrians in downtown cluding the Covernment Railway | Shanghai had inarrow escaped Workers Union, Japan Teachers from falling shrupnel, New Congress of Industrial Unions and National Federation of Labour are members of the committee and the end of the raid, which began represented at the meeting which made the decision today.—Reuter.

### VISITS THE FRONT

we assume that there will be flying the flag of Vice-Amiral regiprocity of treatment and Derkey, was to depart from Yoko-Taipen, February 6. shift our businessmen here will suke for Guam on February 10; Mademo Chiang Kai-shok, 12, 23 were killed and 38 injured, ally have navies favourable Admirel Berkey came to Japan wearing slacks and braying barb- and three British-owned properalls have no less favourable. Admiral Berkey came to apan wearing alaets and having about the free miles and three British-word property of first Asia to meet the from South East Asia to meet the from South Chiefy of Start; Carrying many hand sound of Cambines and the Sino-British Country must be a favour planes and property which is the following must be a favour planes and depending a favour planes and social the USS Royer's and the State of the USS Royer's and the USS Royer's and the State of the USS Royer's and the USS Royer

### Soekarno's visit to India



President Sockarno of the United States of Indonesia, accompanied by his wife, recently visited India. Among those who received him when he arrived at Wellington airport, Delhi, were the Governor-General, Shri Rajagopalachari, Premier Pandit Nehru, Health Minister Rajakumari, Amrit Kaur, and Sheikh Mohammad Abdullah, Prime Minister of Jammu and Kashmir, Photo shows (left to right): Sheikh Abdullah, Mrs. Bookarno, Shri Rajagopsischari President Sockarno, Rajkumari Amrit Kaur and Pandit Nehru. - "A.P. photo".

### HEAVY RAID ON S'HAI

British firm of Jardine Matheson

The British-owned Shanghai.

Two mills of the government-

anchored 'river-craft in

Vietminh

Saigon: February 6.

Vietnam insurgents launch-

Gaolanh is at the edge of

marshy Dos Jongs plain, a big

In Northern Indo-China French

mountainous border country be-

tween Tonking and Inos today to

prevent the insurgents from gain-

ing a new access to the sea and

a new supply line-to their moun-

Tram workers confer

Barciay's Bridge

India-Napal Impace.

Police Commissioner.

U.S. secientists ... urge start, to

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tain strongholds.

and Lighter Ltd, were also hit

killing six Chinese.

### Chapei power plant hit; extensive damage to British property in previous raid

Taipeh, February 6. a couple of good narvests, given that practical peoples such as we Hong Kong Government for its Fourteen heavy Nationalist bombers today pounded Shanghai in the heaviest air raid of the month.

The B-24 bombers, each carrying seven 500-pound bombs, attacked the Chapei power plant in Communist Shanghai. It was reported dam-

aged heavily. The Communists put up. anti-aircraft fire but

#### Damage to British property

Heavy damage was done to British property in a Nationalist a raid on the port on January 25, the "China Mall" learns from an arrival from the North. A godown of the Yee Tsoong Tobacco Company (BAT) and a virtually destroyed.

In addition, damage was Chuchiachino, Situ, Taochiatsch done-to-the ... Shanghai ... Dock- | and Luchlatsch were hit. Eighteen Damage here was bombs fell along the Pootung very small as three bombs waterfront. Ten were almed at l which landed in the Dockyards tailed to explode.

The Yee Tsoong godown suffered four direct hits. So big was the explosion that a boiler in the godown was hurled more thun 100 yards away, landing on a

The APC depot in Pootung was hit by more than 10 bombs. Shanghal official reports sale that 400 buildings were destroyed in the raid, which took a toll of 400 casualties, including 70 killed Forty-eight hours after the ed an offensive against the still town of Gaolanh, 75 miles raid, relief 'workers were excavating corpses from under South West of Salgon, during piles of debris in the Nantao area. last night. which was the main target of

The raid disrupted tram and centre of Vietminh resistance in hus services in the former French Cochin-China: Concession for several hours, and thick columns of black smoke troops were fighting in the wild. from several fires darkened the

#### Workers killed Five thours after the raiders-

éight R-24's had disappeared two fires were still raging-one just opposite the former French

Many French Tramwa killed in the raid, during which at least 50 heavy bombs were dropped. Some of the bombs fell in the Whangpoo neaf the Butterfield had great difficulties in getting

to do that in regard to Kashmir Responsibility for any conse- and Swire wharf in the ex-The city's anti-aircraft de-

> Ond bomber was seen emitting a trail of white smoke towards as hundreds of office workers were making their way home for The laitack was the first in

about 10 days. January 12 raid News reaching Hong Kong from Shanghal said during a heavy Nationalist air raid on January

### Briton says Russia has the H-bomb

London, February 6. The British editor who correctly predicted that the Soviet Union would set off an atomic blast in 1949 today said Soviets already have made and exploded a hydrogen super ing,"-Mr. McCloy sold. Reuter. The EWO cotton will of the bomb, ---

The editor is 40-year-old Company took two direct him Kenneth de Courcy, editor of the in the dyeing plant building, monthly "Intelligence, Digest" who claims to have sources of information on both sides of the Iron curtain.

Dockyards Ltd. and Yangtse Tug "There is now evidence of Rus-At the Dockyards 11 were killed sin having already made an H--literally blown to bits, while bomb," de-Courcy asserted in a three died at the Tug and Lighter. statement to the Press. All the casualties were Chinese. "She has in fact made three

and exploded one of them, owned China Textile Industries statement declared. De Courcy did not say when or and the waterfront opposite the Shell depot, in Pootung, were both Customs Woosung station, and where the purported hydrogen four Pootung localities around bomb was tested.

> De Courcy. in January, 1949. predicted Russia would attempt the fan atomic explosion that year.

many planes participated in the blast in Russia. sia, said today the Soviet scien- foreign affaira." tists will touch off a series of 11 | Asked about Russian reaction

> "Intitude 40 degrees 20-30 to live together in the ends minutes North, longitude 80 .de-

### American policy in Germany

Stuttgart, February 6. Mr. John McCloy, the United States High Commissioner in Germany, declared here today that there must be no German Army or Air Force.

German security would best be protected "by Germany's particlpation in a closely-knit Western European-community! he cald in a major policy speech three days after lik return from consultations in Washington.

Speaking at the opening of the new "Amerika Haus" here, he said he was "re-stating certain fundamentals of American policy in Germany.' These included:

Germany's "collect) ge /dulit" for the wars Mr. McCloy eald heexpected "an end to the arguements of those Germans who not only deny their own guilt, also seek to place the responsibility for the consequences of that guilt exclusively on the shortcomings of other peable."

The major problems now fucing Western Germany; "In the months ahead, it is imperative that the German people, their leaders and Parliaments, deal, with the problems of unemployment, of the refugees, of the youth?

"Gérmany's "future" în "Europe: The German people should be integrated into a free Europe and should "when they and their governments: have... demonstrated their readiness and responsibility, share fully in free Europe's economic benefits and correspondingly assume its obligations."

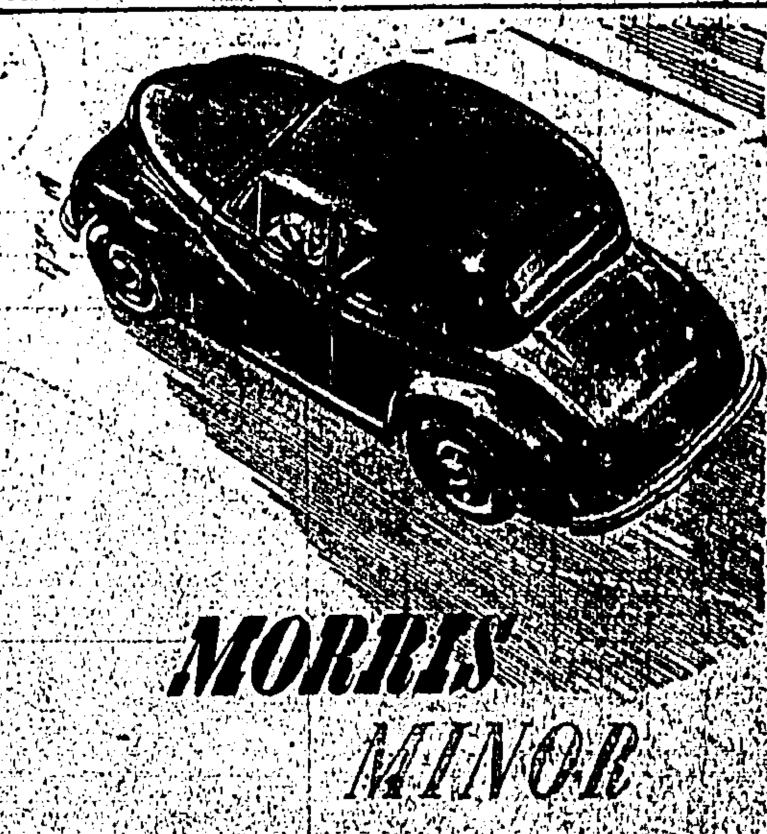
The Saar: "A sensible, statesmontike solution can readily be found and far too much is at stake to permit this issue to become again the starting point for internal political managering leading only to combittered Franco-German misunderstand-

#### Indian envoy s discussion with Stalin

London, February 6. Indian Ambassador to the Soviet Union, Sir Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan, said in London today-that he had had "a very frank discussion of the problems npw facing the world" with Stalin before he left Moscow."

"I have no doubt," the Ambas-President Truman in September: sador told the Press Trust of India. The report did not say how revealed there had been an atomic "that Stalin is very impressed by India's genuino interest in peaco. De Courey, who claims to have in, spite of our different apan intelligence pipeline into Rus- | proaches to the problems - of

> more atomic blasts starting on to the hydrogen bomb, the Indian March 3. He did not specify whe Ambassador, preferred to make ther these would be hyrdogen or no comment beyond saying that whataver happened, that two He placed the sile of the blasta political blocs would always have Even after a war," he added grees 10-20 minutes East." This "the same problems romalit-to be would be approximately at the solved so why not tackle them border of the Soviet Asiatic re- now, instead of plunging the public of Kazakh. - Associated world into another holocaust?"-



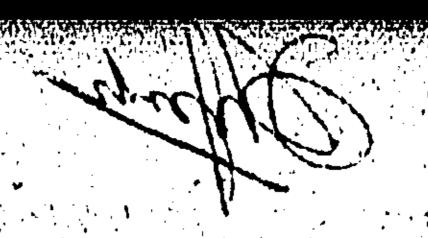
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The French action began in formight ago following reports of increasing insurgent activity in Upper | Tonking, and Northern Official French spokesmen in Salgon discounted Vietminh Radio claims of a general insurgent enough rice, and they had neither. the arms and oquipment nor enough ammunition to undertake

Page 7 FBI chief reporting on Fuchs





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### Correspondence

The Editor takes no responsible lity for views expressed in letters by "correspondents, and by no means with

The Wanchai robbery Sir, At last, a fighting Nationalist General?

Cantonese songs by radio Sir,—As a music llover, I can hardly keep allent about the bxtremely poor dally programmes of the Chinese Section of Hadio Hong Kong. For hours and hours -for islmost 180% of the broadeasting time—the listener can receive only those irritating Cantonese songs which have no Molody, Rhythm, and Harmony, and can conly be appreciated by the Lower Class People and those Stupid Women, Folks. But there hre the Educated Class-the Students, Music Lovers, and the oung Tourns, who like to emo

Modern Age Songs which can only be heard for about ten to twenty minutes an evening. If it is not the intention of the Authorities to keep the Station las a station for the lower class, then something should be done about the programmes of the Chinese Section.

Yours etc., CHEUNG CAN TIN.

#### Food for thought

Sir,-Here's just, a little "food for thought" for newspaper editors-from the "Editor and Publisher."

"The Roman circus the Press has made out of the gossiped pregnancy of one movie actress by a man who is not her husband and the anticipated birth of a child to another actress is a sorry

""Surely, American newspapers either must be hard up for copy 'in these days of vital internuflorial events or they have a low estimation of the moral decency of their readers—" " " " "

"We agree with George Sokulc'cy that 'to make a Press sensation of such a thing. In advance sure knowledge of the fact, re- day. flects 'unfavourably upon those who do it.

"It is no advantage to anyone to publish such 'news." A FAMILY MAN

#### The golden fleece

Sir .- Art for art's sake: 'the Muse No inspiration not divine: So David wins aesthetic Bays And slays the monster Philistine.

No cause diverts his purest aim, The artist's impulse to create; The forward youth succeeds to And paints the portraits of the

Long for perfection he assayed (Take heed ambitious youths! Be meek):

Eight years, while seeking art, Then ten he studied, once a week, O timely Thrift is there among

The sacred Nine, thy excellence? kok. O worthy people of Hong Kong, Shall virtue thrive without ex-

#### FORTHGOMING WEDDING

Street, and Miss Christina Joyce States Consulate, and Mr. D. I Brown, of I Thorne Manor, have Anderson, District Trame Mann

Three members of the Seattle-goodwill tour group who arrived here yesterday by the Philippine Airlines. They were met at the airport by representatives of the United States Consulate and the North West Airlines. Picture shows from left to right: Mr. Don Valque of the U. S. Consulate, Mr. P. John Devin, Mayor of Beattle; Mr. D. L. Anderson of the local office of Lesten Mary & Latter of the Buch Valley of the Latter Mers Alper lines, Seattle, and Vice-Admiral Gordon Row, Port Commis-

sioner of Beattle. (A White Studio Photo).

### Seattle goodwill arrive in HK

A three-man goodwill group from Scattle, Washington, arrived by a Philippine Airlines aircraft via Manila yesterday.

The trio are Mr. P. John Devin, Mayor of Seattle, Vice-Admiral Gordon Row, Port Commissioner of Seattle, and Mr. D. C. Valle, Special Representative, General Traffic Department, North West Airlines

All the three tourists are members of the Seattle General Chamber of Commerce and they are a part of a group of Scattle businessmen who are conducting goodwill tour bf the Orient. Other goodwill tourists are at present in Manila. They are exof itr occurrenc, and without pected to arrive here on Thurs-

> The basic aim of the group's with the Far East.

"We are here to let people in this part of the world know that there is an American port called Queen had just Scattle," the Port Commissioner

#### Negrest port

for Scattle which is America's nearest port to the Orient. order to boost Scattle's trade relations with the Far East.

visited Korea, Japan Their next stop will be Bang-

Mayor Devin is expected

being put up at the Peninsula ed retinue and his memories. Revenue Inspector Stanley Hotel, were met at the airport by Benjamin Locke, of 12C Hoi Plan Mr. Don Vasque of the United forthcoming ger of North West Airlines office

# move behind Britain's the Colony.

### (Exclusive to the "Chino Mail") club to the apparent deadlock in developing re-

lations between Great Britain and New China is aprovided in two marticles, which have sjust come to hand in publications from Shanghal.

These articles, by Mr. Ssu Mu and Professor Heiao Chien, both well known political commentators, were published in the weekly "World Culture" and the biggest Shanghai vernacular,

A "Ta. Kung Pao" China's best-known independent newspaper in pre-Communist days! Both writers warned the Chi-lance with actual acts perpetrated nese people to remain vigilant and not merely on the basis of against British imperialists des- an announcement." plie Britain's recognition of the "In this connection he recalled Chipsen Papile Character of the Kong of a "progressive" school

self more enlightened and more principal just when Britain an- Mrs. D. Bellamy, Miss G. Standoe, realistic compared with America, nounced recognition of Peking as Messis. R.P. Tattam, R. Okada, Hau'Mu writes, 'an imperialist well is a ban against Chinese S. Polak, S. Brynolf and H. Tonks. nation is basiculty an imperialist residents celebrating and spress

desire for relations with China, the author proceeds, is 100 per cent commercial, and it is to be distinguished from the "purely unselfish motive, shown by the Soylet Union and "the People's Democracies in deciding to establish relations, with us from the

"It would be a great mistake therefore, if this British siction should lead us to entertain illu-Blons " about " Imperialism" and thereby; to lead us to deviate from the path of leaning to one

. The writer urged the Chinese British Government "in-accord-

#### "Century of suffering" taught us many things," Seu Mu Eddad. "We must wrelve at

sure" against Chinese workers in

A: proper, perspective, and, 'attalyad 'the current' wotton by British of We are to be free! from harmful illusions." British recognition was motivated principally, by a desire to pre-"Basically," he asserted,

The writer diged Britain "to man sent Vesterday from Kyoto take a proper perspective of new where three news service corresrealities in the China situation pondents were left behind by a today—realities which ennot be plane carrying the Joint Chield

imagined or understood by Sino- of Stall. logues' despite their sojourn of Pennino said he pulled off decides in China. "These realities constitute the him several times. consummation bi century-old

aspirations of millions of Chinese Professor Histor claimed That 30 the realities in question tell us

writing this Memoirs. When he wille is a China under the was eventually allowed to return feudership of Maxism-Leninism thinly estates and castles and Tito, nor do we permit the exist- tell the full story."

longer the China of the land.

his favourite custles and looted in the country she does not peragainst the Drinclole of equality "Internationally she will take or the weak by the powerful: my life, but it was so humorous, time a supporter of peace. She I would walk on to my balcony, opposes the use of the atomic

### Personalia

Week one departures from the Peninsula Hotel included Mr. and Mrs. A. Bethell, Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Gubbay, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. McGloughlin, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. S. Martin, Messrs. Ambrose E Gates, J.E. Wilson, L.R. Wood, G. Tobins, A.B. Fidler, O.H. Larsen and Dr. H.N. Banerjee.

Among the new week-end arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel were Mr. and Mrt. E.A. Griffiths, Miss Levide Mirial Miss Levisier tong, Mr. and Mrs. Y.C. Sung

Mr. Don Manuel V. Gallego Philippine Ambassador-at-Large, will be the guest of the Philippine Consul-General and the local Filiping community at the Filipino "A contury of suffering under Club, King's Park, at 5.30 p.m.

## Correspondent

Tokyo, February 6. Mr. Peter Kallscher, United whis Press correspondent, was struck Governing to deal with the as emirely different from the today by Captain Walter Pencongratulations and requests for nine of Boston, a public in-establishing relations received formation officer on General from the Soviet Union and the MacArthur's staff.

New Democracles on the birth of The blows were struck in an arkument over a story the news-

Kallscher's glasses and struck See The Army Scaptain shad oxpressed Arritation, puriler at correspondents, stories from Kyoto. Hershid ! they ! falsely !! Implied that General (MacArthur's head abarters didentat afavour the

mewamen !! accompanying the Joint Ohlefs of Staff, Rennino arnued that the porrespondents overbiebt and imissed the first of itwo uplance carrying the Joint Chiefs and attempted unsuccessfully, to jobtain, passage on the second. Pennino said: "I took exception

a to what I considered failure to In the ensuing argument, he

said: "Kalischer "insulted him and he hit the newsman. Penrilso said later he apologised Id Kalischer (for striking him but thiddell "I am not apologising for getting that angry." The Army officer said Kalischer returned to the office-later -- As-sociated Press.

### IN...MALAYA

Mingaporo Pebruary C. when torrotists derailed a train Negrl isembilan Province, Ma-

Goods, the xalus of which was estimated in the vermacular Press yesterday at HK\$6,000,000 were, destroyed in Sundoys, air attack on Shumchun by two-Mattonality fighters.

Arrivals from, the Chinese border town sold that the fire was still smouldering yesterday morning at the coal vords. It burned throughout

They fadded that "Explosions I allo said: "Before this air raid. in the petrol dump set fire to the Communistic trading officials adjoining goods yards in bere so delighted with the succluding the coal ward. Goods they were placing hard currency destroyed included. industrial in payment for the majorials in His children are scattered, and chemicals, newsprint, causiic a Hong Kong bank, before de-

### GALA NIGHT Presenting : THE



APPEARING NICHILY IN

much shipping he the Colony "It was the Coronation of was interned on the flat and de-feudalistic, and that she is no has, the goodwill group would George V. I was in my uninterned of Wieringen, in longer the China of Confucius, the Zuider Zee, "which could only no longer the China of the form, and my wife, the be reached by a dirty little foreign returned students, no Crown Princess; was looking motor-boat." He spent five dreary years owners, church . when somebody to Germany he had a pretty nice and the doctrine of Mao Tsecried: 'Three cheers for the life because he still had a great fung. Here we Cannot "And The Mayor of Scattle said that Some of my English friends reigning monarch.

The goodwill group is here to said that such a thing had publicise whatever things it can never happened before."

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Today he lives an undis- them of all their tressures, and mit foreign mitlemals. To guished life in an undistinguished He was made a prisoner of the any, special rights which hee suburban villa in Hechlingen, French. South Germany. The address is MARHough I wasn't an impor-Before coming here the tourists in the local telephone book linder tent person .... I was locked in determined stand against exploit "K" for Crown Prince, and under an Hotel Bedroom for three weeks tation of the weaktby the strong the bell of 16, Furstenstrasse is a with an aimed guard.

A self-effacing manservant had and there on one side, on his bomb or regional alliances, as ja proceed to Bangkok alone this opened the door. The hall is balcohy, was Von Nedrath, who threat to peace loving countries members of his group are planslightly larger. In fact, the whole house seems just about the right be the Grand Musti of Jerusalem. The writer concluded that

> moment," 'the servant "had said. and left one blone uniong strange mixture of suburban fur-

to breakfast during a countryhouse shooting party long plus he he fours and wincket, anide abouth 67 years old but still the gangling Little: Willie of the 1914-1918

during the Kalser's Wat Will rearn.

#### By Jenny Nicholson "They once cheered me in and has become completely phitour is to boost Scattle's trade Westminster Abbey on one losophical about his new one. 'Castle museum

of the most distinguished oc-According to Admiral Row, it casions in your history," His ingloflous life began 30 the realities in question with us the Scattle harbour had half as said Little Willie wistfully, years ago when after the war he that the New China is anti-"According to Admiral Row, it casions "in your history," very well. The King and German Crown Prince.' . . .

tiny gold plate which reads: "Perhaps I might have taken This New China is at the some "Wilhelm, Kronprins,"

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tation and acceptance of the being, but no one was hurt.—

Tittle Willie has needed his realities of New China.

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recent publicity affine to the contract of the publicity affine to the contract of the contrac recent publicity about his keeping a picture postcard and re-freshment stall up at the castle with a weary sense of humour. The castle has selden been inhabited and has been a museum ar bigger Hays and beastly little models of antique Bourg Hohenzollern. escritoire to tector uncertainly on: to the unkeep of the castle. The restaurant has been going since

before the recent war. For a by. Besides he is quite happy is he is sitting with his back to fell, lik long arm stretching for

### No decision reached conference between Tram Union, Police Commissioner

HK Council of Social Services annual general meeting, PRO lecture room, 5.30 plm.

HK Rotary Club, luncheon, talk "Electric Power Generation to the Steam Turbine! by Mr. F. F. Duckworth, Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.30

European' YMCA, Bridge Drive,

British Council lecture on "The Industrial Revolution, 5.30

Kówloon Union Church Women's Guild meeting, 10 a.m. Cheero Services Club, Whis Drive, 8 p.m. Drugons Services Club, that now divides them.

Coming Events

Whist Drive, 8 p.m.

TOMORROW

Toc H meeting, 50; Macdonnell Road, 8.30 p.m.

International Affairs Study Group, talk on "Tientsin since the ployed. liberation — An American view" by Mr. A. S. Jenkinn, Fung Ping Shan Library, HK University, 5.30 p.m.

British Council appeared lecture "Definition and Background," Council library, 5.30

THUÁBDAY Kowloon Retary Club, Ladies Day, Peninsula Hotel, 12.30

HK Women's International Councfl. Dance for Servicemen,

7.30 p.m. British Council documentary weekly film show, Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club. Bridge Drive, 8 p.m.

### Dancers make debut at

A new phase in the Colony's night-club entertainment willbe-ushered-in-at-the-Skyroom Ballroom tonight when the Rich dance-troupe will make their debut in a series of spectacular numbers.

Mr. Al Richardson, the Sky-

was imported from the United second visit to 3 RTR at San States at considerable expense. The Rich family, a well-known name! in American theatrical and

night-club circles, came to Hong Kong by air last week from Manila.

Their debut tonight forms part of a project conceived by Mr. Richardson to provide Hong Kong will novelty entertainment.

Ten days ago he flew to Manlla to finalise plans which will link the Skyroom Ballroom with the Towers Night Club, famous Fillpluo dance hall, and Raffles Hotel in Singapore.

The three establishments have entered into an agreement which in effect permits them to import excellent continental and Americani entertainment talent al re- the isolated camps. duced expense. What they have Introduced is an entertainment circuit whereby artistes will be a newcomer to the New Terri- casion. exchanged between them.

ith contract with the Skyrodm an old favourite, John MacLeod, the Hong Kong Hotel will be held Ballroom they will go to Singa- a. nore; and artistes who are at singing was, deeply appreclated, present appearing in Manila wil

Mr. Richardson said that and American actress. Miss Joan l Page, will be visiting Hong Kong on Friday, and will make personal appearances at the room on Friday, Saturday and Also booked is a tamous dancer from Spain.

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Officials of the Hong Kong Tram Workers Union called on the Commissioner of Police yesterday to discuss with him conditions for returning possession of the Union premises in Rus-

decision was reached and the Union officials may call on the Commissioner again today through mall for transit' by thin for further talks.

The Commissioner was believed to have told the men that he had instructions not to return, possession of the premises to the Union until he had been assured that politica would be divorced from their

Unless this was done there was HQLF, Sergennts' Mess, Queen's no gunrantee that there would not be n recurrence of the disturbances that occurred last week.

> Meanwhile efforts to get the tram service resumed before the Chinese New Year, were continued by Mr. Ko Cheuk-hung, Chairminn of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, who has been in constant contact with both workers and mithagement

Contacted by the Mall" yesterday, a spokesman tor the management said that the service would be resumed If the men would return to

There was no mention whatever killed. new labour would be em-

#### Men's claim

<u> He said that in so far as the </u> root of the dispute itself was. was considered excessive. Company was willing to leave it to an arbitration tribunal, a third party that should be quite im-Y's Men's Club, Luncheon at Roof | partial, to decide on what extra Garden, HK Hotel, 12.45 p.m. payment, if any, should be paid. It is due entirely to the workers' refusal to agree to this mode of settlement, which we consider to be the fairest to all concerned, that is holding up resumption of the tram service," the spokesman sald.

Today ends the sixth week of the tram stoppage. The workers have refused to accept their dismissal notice, and have left their

The Tramwdy Company. ed. The ruts have been filled out trial. with sand and dust, and rails in I many parts have gone rusty.

#### Concerts for troops in New Territories

ACES took its biggest show to the New, Territories last Thursday, and was enthusias-Mail" yesterday that the troups tleally received. . It: was , a

> Members of ACES have obviously made milny friends during their first visit last year to the troops in the New Territories. The atmosphere on Thursday had much of a reunion nature about it.; The "old troopers" in the ACES party were greeted by name with obvious pleasure. ACES is gradually assuming some coherence and design; demonstrating, the effect of, the

combined weekly rehearsing. The emphasis is on musicvocal and plant; and more variety in individual comedy items or sketches is being under-

Those taking part in Thurs-

When the Rich team completes | concerts In Town, Edna Decarte, | Small, Mena Silas and the pro-

A. grand party whose freshness . The object of the Club is to and spontancity reflected nothing create and develop a spirit of of the cold journey at the end of a normal working, day, ....

### Attairs

The International Affairs Study Group will hold its public meet-

The speaker will be Mr. Alfred Jenkins, American Vice-Consul. whose subject will be "Tientsin Since the Liberation—An Amer

The meeting will be held in the Tung Ping Bhair Library, Bonhain Road, at 5.80 p.m. The public

Mr. Jonking was in Tients for anteral months preceding and tolicyling the Communist occupation of the ties.

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### suspect

Gang fight

Another member of the gang which took part in the gang Hin-shing Lo at Central yes- matter from abroad. terday with the alleged wounding of Yip Chor.

Detective Sub-Inspector R. G. with a view to bridging the gap Laurel said that the defendant Leung Ming aline Sai So alias So Chai, was seen chasing Yip into a coffee shop and stabbing him with a knife.

> Yin Chor, the complainant, was one of a party of ticket scalperd who were involved in the light during which one of them was

Inspector Laurel continued that the defendant allegedly held a grudge against the complainant and stabbed him during the fight.

After Li Fai, watchman of St concerned, namely the men's claim Francis yard, had given evidence for a \$3-a-day special allowance, of having seen the defendant as the Company was unable to meet one of the gang holding knives it. Its original attitude was un- on May 7 although he did not changed. This meant the claim actually see the stabbing of the complainant the case was adjourned till today.

### Executions in

Mr. Charles Young, spokesman for the Formosan Independence Movement, yesterday condemned the Nationalist authorities at Taipeh - for the summary execution of two evidently prepared for a long lay youths on January 30, and the up, have left the track unattend- imprisonment of others with-

unbecoming of Dr. K.: C. Wu. reputed democratic scholar and statesman who was educated ir, rung

the United States. Mr. Young said that as the lekal status of Talwan remains undetermined pending the conclusion of the peace treaty with Japan, political loyalty in Tai-

wan is vague. added, no Chinese justice has the right to convict any Taiwanese of

high treason. Those responsible, he warned. would regret it one day when they are condemned as war criminals of the first degree by

Taiwanese patriots. He added that instead of a lenient and enlightened policy expected frem Dr. Wil as Governor of Taiwan, there appears to a reign of terror in Talwan.

### anniversary

The Skul Club will celebrate its first unniversary at the end The concerts supply a want for of this month. Its committee has decided to hold a dinner-dance at the Lldo, Repulse Bay on March day's concert were: Jessle Young, 3, at 8 p.m., to celebrate the oc-

tories but well known to troop In future the Club's monthly official of the hirling. tiffins in the Jacobean room of fine barltone whose grand on the Friday of every month at

unity, goodwill, and fellowship among its members in the interests of international travel.

in the Colony. ciation International, des Skal Clubs, which has megroor clubb in practically every country all over the wild sades prost

enting Road, second floor, Ebwildon City night bevine a convenience with a pour pour penerday of the source for the convenience of the course of the course of the course of the course of the convenience of the course of the co

### Mail sent to Shanghai by railway

Mail by this route is confined to ordinary mail and is sent entirely nt senders risk. No reen route is accepted by the postal

Since the inauguration of the service numerous enquirles have been received from abroad as to whether the Hong Kons (Postal Authorities would also accept

All these requests have had to be turned down, as it was felt that Hong Kong would, not be capable of coping with the enormous volume of foreign mail for China that would then be dumped into Hong Kong. Previously overseas mail for China went through

The malls now deling spnt out are therefore local collespo

Printed matter and parcels are not accepted as under internatight near the China Theatre postal authorities accepted such in: Landale Street on May 7, matters for transmission they 1949. Was charged before Mr would have also to accept similar

> Service satisfactory The mail service by train, via Canton has so far proved satisfactory as no report of loss has come through, and it is expected that the volume will in-

Mail for Shanghai is also carried by ships where such shillings are available, but this is irregu-

For other ports in China, such as Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, with the case were Chu On-tai, carriage of mall is confined entirely, to ships.

Due to the continued blockade of-Shanghai,-many-foreign-firms are now sending their mail for China to correspondents in Hong Kong for transmission as loca mail to Shanghai or Tientsin as Local mail. This, it is predicted, will have the effect of swelling the volume of Hong Kong's outward mail for China very soon.

### Court brevities

Facing a charge of assault with intent to commit a robbery. Leung Kai, 20-year-old unemployed, was committed to stand trial by Mr. F. X. d'Almada at Kowloon yesterday.
Sam Yuan, of 85 Tong Mei Road, said that on the night of December 18 Inst.he was held up by defendant who was armed Silva for evading payment co with a knife and who he was going up the stairs to his flat. With the help of his friend,

A. Wei, he disarmed defendant Lilaran and Karamchan Rochlram He said that the act is most and took him to the Mongkok were withdrawn by Mr. J. Rey-Detective Sub-Inspector S. H. defendants were acquitted. Fung conducted the prosecution's

The summons against V.T. Botoff, of the Standard Vacuum, hess. Oll Company, for driving with Lillaran is one of the directors out due care and attention , near and is Manager of the Hong Kong Clear Water Bay last November firm, while Rochiram is the 17. was withdrawn before Mr. director of a branch in Japan. Such being the position, he d'Almada at Kowloon yesterday when the prosecution offered no

sented defendant.

Cheng Fung-hau, Gun Hill Club bar boy, who was remand, Iween Lllaran, and Rochleam and ed last week after having pleaded. guilty: to a charge of forging A chit to the account of Second Lieutenant H. T. Shacklock of the Royal Artillery, was bound over in \$250 by Mr. James Wicks At of the company were selzed under Kowleen, yesterday. In bluding a warrant defendant over Mr. Wicks took into consideration Cheng's threeyear service with the Culb.

. Pleading guilty to a charge of trespaining at Kai Tak Airport, on Saturday morning, Siu Kamkwan, Central Air Transport Corporation, mechanic, . was links \$1004 by ... Mr. ... James Kowloon yesterday.

Defendant, who sald he was a CATC mechanic in Laichow, sald he went to the airport to see an | 200 miles from Hong Kong.

Anno of \$10 was imposed on Lau Tung, noodle hawker, by Mr. Keown with Alistair | The Skal Club (Hong Kong Wicks at Kowloom Jesierday for Gordon, Mary Mackintosh, John Travel Association) has been in uttering street cries along Castle existence in this Colony for nearly | Peak Road early yesterday mor

> ... On a charge allowing his private car out for hire, Cheung .. Taklts activities are not of a par- shut, was fined \$350 by Mr. F.K. its activities are not of a par- shift, was uned \$300 by party. Hong Rong the Rong tissen or political nature. Among d'Almada at Rowloon yesternay. A maniful liole several feet its members are about 60 repro- Cheung and his passengers, sontatives of almost every travel who promised to pay defendant agency, airline and shipping line 133 cach on arrival at Castle Peak Road, were intercepted by the The Hong Kong Skal. Club will police at a road-block in Trun shortly be affiliated to the Also Want on February 2. But Inspec tor Jack Dempsey prosecuted.

Tom Choung-last, asoch 21, was KOWLOON GITY

ROBBERY

A robber armed With a pistol stole \$1,000 in cash from a residence at 32. To Ku Ling was at Blake Fire op a Saturday pigning agent was at Blake Fire op a Saturday pigning agent with a pigning agent was at Blake Fire op a Saturday pigning agent with a contract was at Blake Fire op a Saturday pigning agent with a contract was at Blake Fire op a Saturday pigning agent with

### Defendants plead not guilty to ship boarding charge

Twenty-three men, charged with boarding the st. Valve without permission on February 3, stood in the dock at the Marine Court yesterday for nearly five hours pleading that they were victims of circumstances.

defendants pleaded not guilty. The hearing was adjourned for the second time for further clarification by the Marine Police.

### Woman dies iniuries

A 30-year-old mason, Chu Ching was charged before Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday with failing to take proper precautions while blasting at noon on Saturday at Blue Pool Road.

A remand of three days ifor further. Police inquiries was granted by the Court. Inspector Wheeler said that an is result of the improper precautions taken during the blasting a Chinese woman Chan Yuk-sim was injured and died in the Queen Mary Hospital the next

Also charged in connection nged 38, manager of the Hong On Tai Construction Company, Chu Sze-yip, aged 42, site foreman and Chii Yau-kee, aged 42. sub-contractor. The charge against them was failing to take precautions to prevent fragments of rock being projected in a dangerous manner during blasting. They were also remanded three days as Chu On-tal expressed the wish to employ a

Each of the four defendants was allowed bail of \$1,000.

#### Firm fined for tax evasion

O.K. Gidumal and Watumal Limited for 57-59 Wyndhan Street were fined \$50,133.20 by Mr. A. D. Scholes at Central when the Company pleaded gullty , through Mr. M. A. da tax, the amount involved being manded money from him while \$25,066.60, under the Inland Revenue Ordinance /1947. The charges against Gldumal

> inblds for: the prosecution Mr. Reynolds told the court that the firm is a private com-

pany with three directors and deals in import and export busi-On September U, 1948, n. completo, return was mude and signed evidence. Mr. P. J. Griffiths repre- by Lilaran, the amount of profit boing \$132,000. The tax for that

sum was duly paid. Later there was a quarrel be-Inally an agreement was reached. Sometime, later, Rochiram, and his son went to see the Commissioner and made certain revelations. Following this the books

Mr. Martin then audited the books and, found that its entries were inoccurate.... No entry was made of \$118,000.

ed on a reet near Pratas Island Any occan-going itug, the

Margaret Moller, left Hong Kong on Saturday night to aid the dissecond day standing by the recibound vessel helpless to get near the ship because of high seas. The 38 members of the Prince Salvors crew are not in danger of their lives unless the seas be-Though the Prince Salver is a

The tug will then try to pull the salvage vestel of the ree!... According to reports yesterday. ic-an hour winds were batter-

Police witnesses giving evi-dence yesterday declared that on receiving a complaint from the steward of the freighter they proceeded to the Valve. When they were about 40 yards off the ship the witnesses de-

Valve into sampans nearby. Police Constable Chu Walkoung, stated that he saw several Chinese jumping into the sampans, where he arrested !

eral men jumping from the

them subsequently. Most of the defendants, who were not legally represented. ascerted that they were passing by in their sampans when the police arrested them. They pleaded innocent to the charge,

#### Visited friend

Some defendants declared that they were asked by a group of passengers to follow them to the Valve with their luggage. A defendant stated that he went

aboard to visit a friend, The 23 men were brought to Mr. D. G. Cairns on Friday at the Marine Court on the charge. The master of the ship, Kinng Yungsan, told the Court that he had not given permission to the defendants to board his vessel. The steward brought his attention to the presence of the men.

Lee Holiwan, steward of the Valve, stated on Friday that he was surrounded by the men who demanded "tea money" from him. He identified defendants in Court. Another man from the Valve corroborated that he saw Lee surrounded by several men at 9.45 a.m: on that day.

The hearing was adjourned. Found guilty on a charge of solling blackmarket railway, tickets, Lau Hai-sun and a 10-year-

old boy were fined \$200 and \$50,

respectively, by Mr. d'Almada at

Kowloon yesterday.

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### Isbrandtsen giving attempts to break blockade .

(University of Hong Kong) The Hans Isbrandtsen Company of New York has abandoned further attempts to break the Nationalist blockade to Shanghai, an informed source said yesterday.

Last week, it was confirmed that the ss. Flying Independent, an Isbrandtsen ship which was due to leave Hong Kong for Shanghai on February 5, will now discharge cargo at Tsingtoo and Taku Bar, but not Shanghai.

HKDF to take

exercises

part in tonight's

The Hong Kong Defence

Force has been called out to

take part in exercises which

begin tonight, Major E. G.

Pugh, Adjutant, told the

The exercises, called Exer-

cise Alabaster, will last three

days, but the Hong Kong

Ragiment will only take part

of the Regiment will start at

Major Pugh sald a parade

It will involve 300 man,

recruited from the ranks of

headquarters, personnel, two

rifie corps, and the carrier

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Owen-

Hughes, the Regiment's Com-

manding Officer will tead the

The exercise is being cover-

The main object of the

exercise is to test units in

their Security role in aid of

the civil power outside the

built up areas on the icland

and in Kowloon. Vehicle

checks will be made at all

times during the day and

night, and it is quite possible

that civilian vehicles may be

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day of the French sloop La

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to a report that the bullion was

on its way from Vietnam Ito

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from Indo-China to Japan during

the war and was being returned.
-Reuter.

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THE-MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

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Meeting.

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on the written or personal introduction of a Member, such Mem-

Officials would not say who

Banque de L'Indo-China here.

Singapore, February 6.

mistaken for military ones.

ed by units of the Royal Navy,

Army and Royal Air Force.

"China 'Mall" yesterday.

In tonight's activities.

and signal platoons.

5.15 p.m.

parade.

According to reports, no other Isbrandtson ships are planning to trade with Shanghai, though the Company has chartered attditional vessels to increase trade with North China ports.

Nortanda of Italian registry; is A sum of money found in | due to leave Hong Kong for

> with Dairen since the Commu-Reasons for the sudden cancellution of trade with Shanghai has not been officially stated, but it is believed that the recent failure of two Isbrandtsen ships to break the blockade—and the kerious damnige sustained by one of the ships-played an important part in deciding the ques-

Another important factor has been the lack of State Denartment and United States Navy support.

The American State Department has repeatedly warned the Isbrandtsen ships on the high sens, and has refused 'to offer protection inside Chinese terri-

In addition, the State Depart-

ment has officially warned 13brandtsen masters that they would possibly lose their licenses if they took their ships into Shanghal-which the State Department has described as danger area. However, in this matter, the

Isbrandtsen masters have expressed the Intention of following the instructions of their employers rather than the warnings of the State Department. During the past three months. five Isbrandtsen ships delivered

successfully about 40,000 deadweight tons of chrgo to Shang-During the same period, two of their ships have been detained by Nationalist warships,

three have been damaged attempting to break the Shanghai blockade. It is believed that Isbrandtsen

ships will resume the trade when i There will be no cash sweep blockade is no longer effective. the Company believes that the owned the bullion. The arrival

### Secretary.

The American Consulate General at. Hung Kong will accept preliminary applications for benefits under the War Claims Actiot 1948, it was officially announced

yesterday. The benefits provide for payment of US\$60 a month to each American citizen who was interned on or after December 7, 1941 by the Japanese in or en route to a United States possession attacked

by Japan. Members of the United States armed forces who were held prisoner by the Japanese after December 7, 1941 may also file claims for compensation for food being supplied in deficient

amounts by the Japanese. If the former internee or prisoner of war has died, claim may be flied by his immediate rela-

- The American Consulate Gencral will supply further details to anyone interested. . Claimants should contact that office as soon qs. possible,

### JANUARY'S WEATHER

January was unusually whrm, it was officially stated yesterday. Only in 1001 and 1905 has a higher mean temperature been

Although the maximum tempernture, 78,3°F, has been exceeded during four previous years, the mean maximum of 69.5 F for the month creates; a new high

The temperature of 52.0°E was lowest recorded and is also remarkably high, only 1901 and 1929 having figures above this

valuo. These bigh temperatures, are connected with the fact that the prodominating wind direction was East South East instead of the normal East North East.

The month's figures and departures from normal were:
Sunshine: 171:9 hrs. (27.0 hrs.
above normal): Rainfall: 39.4 mm. (7.0 mm. above normal); Cloudle ness; 62/per cent (2 per cent balow normal); Relative F(unidity; 79 per cent (4 per cent, above normal); Mean maximum com-perature: 09.5 F (D.1 F) above normal); Mean temperature: 94.4 2 F (4.6 F) above normal); Mean minimum formerature; e 80.5 F



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where, you certainly have to have a lot of new clothes,

it seems to me!"

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

by Dick Turner

ONE DEFENSIVE play which The spade A and Q were you seldom see among average scored, next the heart A and K .players, but is a working took in the heart 2 was ruffed to establish the kit-bag of all high-rankers, two cards in the suit and the is the intentional giving of a ruff spade 7 was led to the K, clearto the dummy so that the de- ing trumps, Now the good hearts clarer can not use trumps for a enabled South to discard his final late enough entry there. Usually diamond and final club, so that he the chance for this play oc- made his contract. curs when the dummy has three! Either defender could have trumps including a high honour, beaten that contract, Esst having

Also there usually is a suit in two chances and West one. When dummy which requires a re- East took the first club, he could entry. If the dummy is forced to have scored his A also and led a ruff with one trump, it cannot we third round which dummy would gain the lead with that suit ex- have had to trump. When West cept before three rounds of was in with the diamond A. he could have scored his club Q and led a third club to force dummy to ruff. When East got the second club trick, he could have led a third instead of making a second diamond lead. In any of these tevents, South would' have been unable to win the third tround of spades in dummy, Just follow through the play, and you will see that this would have

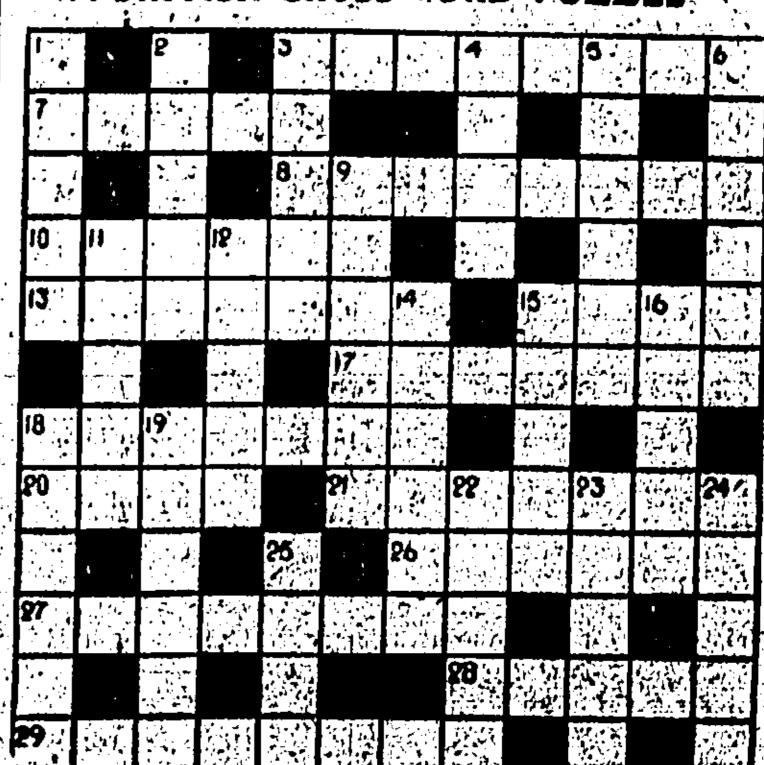
Tomorrow's Problem S A K 10 8 7 8 DAK80 North : East S\_6 1 S Pass 2 H Pass H A J 6

Pass 2 3 S : Pass D J 10 7 3 2 C; Q: 9 8 2 4 East took the club 3 lend with the K and returned the diamond 9 to lead up to weakness. West took the Q with the A and gave East the lead again with the club 7 to the A. The latter, hoping

WEDQ04 H.Q 10 9 5 4 3

CAJ873 Dealer: East. East. West. vul-West had the diamond J guarded herable.) What would you consider the South now was, in with the K best bidding of this deal?

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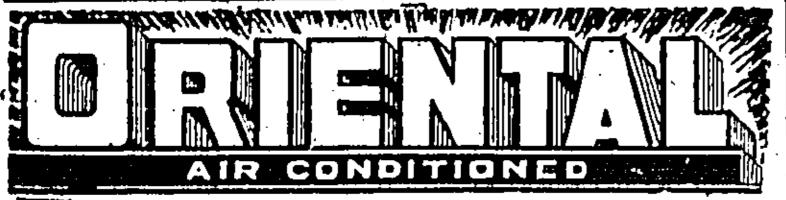
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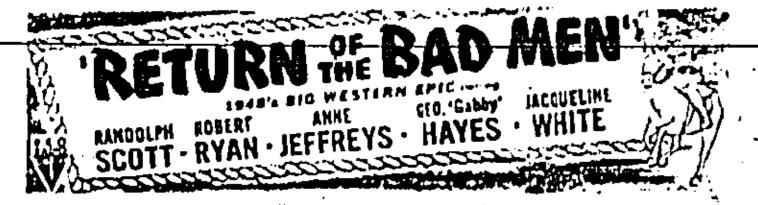
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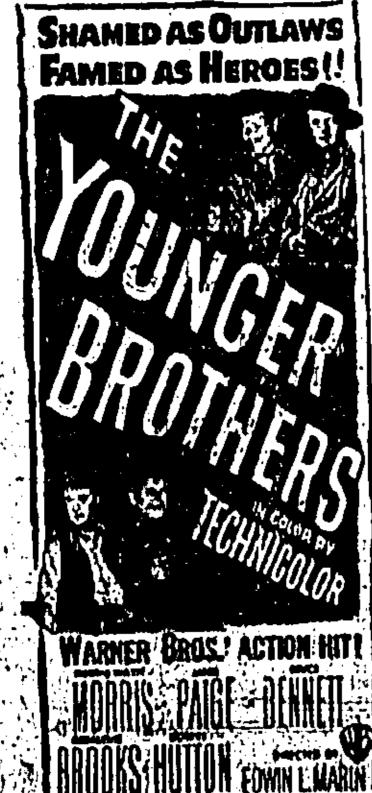
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### U.S. ONLY HOPE TO INDIA-NEPAL IMPASSE

ernment has proclaimed its inten-

The Indians take the dollars

Nepal's suspicions

ly with the eventual aspiration

of absorbing Nepal into the

Indian Republic, it added.

were likely to remain.

Reds attack family The writer of the despatch, Mr. C.L. Sulzberger, said: "Events are forcing the United States to system take a diplomatic interest throughout Asia

San Francisco, February 5. The biggest revolution in China s the one you never hear about. The Communists never openly say they are attacking the Chi-Western democracy.

with by India.

nese family system. They assall "feudalism" and "imperialistic influences", but never the traditional ties which for 4,000 years have made China the source of a unique culture. The family system has been the

life was woven. It dictated mar- of Communism." riages and procreation that the kept family loyalties supreme.

It was China's salvation and apart into little nations but throttled her growth into a really kingdom"-had been tampered to in the hope that its friendly great power.

The Reds are undermining it juietly through three approaches i received by Nepal at Calcutta and pay the Nepalese their rupec -through the mouth, through equivalent. Furthermore, India women, and through peasant has consistently made difficulties politics.

A college student in Communist in the availability of rolling Peking recently wrote to his stock for Nepalese goods," .il father in Hong Kong, "I should added. not call you-father because I now belong to the State, I am short of funds and would appreciate a cheque by return mail.

This boy still has to ask his father for money, but he is learning to recognise a new supreme authority in his life. Before, it was his father. Now it is Communist leadership. .

#### Peasant dance

Even in such simple things as on in New Delhi between Indian the "Yang Ko" peasant dance, and Nepalese representatives for sharply with classic Chinese has taken the occasion of her behave. Before, they were not the United States to complain of supposed to be seen in public this," the article continued. together alone, let alone duncing -and touching-each other.

If children used to be told what to do by their parents, the great mass of Chinese women were equally under the thumb of their husbands. They had little status under family custom. Their husbands could divorce them, but it was their duty to up with their husbands, serve them, and bear the childcould not own property. They I am an extraordinary man, them through their paces at seldom met their husbands before seldom met their husbands before marriage, which was, of course, but I have it (on the attren demanded by custom. The marriage, which was, of course, but I have it (on the auarranged by their elders.

Naturally, Chinese women am a man in a million. found some ways of getting Hospital For Cars around such restrictions, especially in well to do families where the matriarchal boss was not uncommon. But the great mass of Chinese women had to take it.

tal relations are no .longer so their audiences. much a one-way street.

The very active Women's | But that does not mean that Association which the Reds pro- Mr. Hibberd or Mr. MacPherson mote play a big part in this pro- can necessarily make an elephant found re-arrangement of Chinese start, step and go backwards. life. They call die-hard hus- Far from it. bands on the carpet and have been known to beat them up after warnings had no effect.-Associated Press.

### Slow sale of Red bonds America

. New York, February 5. The "Times" says a secret campaign is going on among Chinese Americans here to sell Mao Tse-tung's "People's Victory

The Times said only a few thousand dollars worth of bonds have been sold.

Nationalist sympathisers in the Chinese community, including most of those who could afford to buy the bonds, are opposing the drive, the "Times" said.

around fegulations, buyers of the bonds are asked to commis- breakfast till dinner.

COMING

Canton bank.—Associated Press. of his voice while he was putting the trainer thinks he has never



New York, February 5. The "New York Times" reported from Paris today that the United States, which has immense prestige in India, was being looked to in the hope that its friendly counsel could end a provailing impasse between India and Nepal.

on a scale without precedent.

"One case in point is that of "Nepal argues not only that Nepal," he said. Nepal was "on she wants her own small stock the-verge of becoming a border- of dollars but that she would like land in the ideological contest to avail herself of possible opbetween Soviet Communism and portunities under President Truman's Point Four programme to develop hydro-electric power in "Mao Tse-tung's Peking Gov- her valleys.

"Furthermore, she would like tion of taking over Tibet. If that manoeuvre is accomplished, to open herself up to surveys for Nepal will have to decide whe- economic development and possigive that held China together. It ther to recognise the new master bly - private investment," the use held her back, based on un- of its neighbour. Furthermore article said. Studies, were now cestor worship, it was the warp Nepal, the home of the famous being made with a view to posupon which the fabric of Chinese brave Gurkhas, will face the tide sible establishment of an airline, but . until regularised transit rights across India were not only ancestors might be honoured. It The article, pointing out that guaranteed but carried out this Nepal's only link with the out- important border nation must side world was across India, remain in isolation. For this alleged that Nepal's jute exports reason, the paper said, the United | ture Department said today her curse. It kept her from falling to the dollar area—"the only States, "which has immense source of dollars for the little prestige in India, is being looked

#### Peking relations with Pakistan

counsel can end the prevailing

impasse."-Reuter.

London, February 6. Radlo Moscow sald today that the Chinese Communists have This had led some Nepalese ngreed to establish diplomatic relike to isolate them economical- of equality."

The broadcast quoted a Communist news agency message from Until New Delhi acted more Peking which said relations would be based on "equality, mutual adco-operatively, these suspicions vantage and mutual respect for severeignty, and territorial in-

"Negotiations have been going The message said the Communist Deputy Foreign Minister, and wide, Chinese youth breaks sive results. As a result Nepal Li Ke-nun, informed Pakistan of need food but lack the dollars ) ideas of how young people should new diplomatic relationships with February 4 through the Pakistan -United Press.

### elephant man l'm one in a million

By Richard Viner

thority of an expert) that I

What can I do? Why, I can go backwards.

Chinese women what looks to not easy. It is all done by the get ready, get ready. Change!" them like equality. Now they power of the voice—in the same can criticise their husbands in way that Stuart Hibberd and public and divorce them. Mari- Stewart MacPherson command

It requires a very special, a must know you before they will very rare sort of voice, which I learn tricks. Elephants are like have got-and which Mr. John women. They prefer to serve Gindl has got.

#### Expensive job

You don't know Mr. Gindl? Let me introduce him. He is the my handkerchief," he says and man who can not only make the elephant does so. elephants start, stop and go backwards, but can make them play cricket, clamber on each would be his wife. Even then, heads—and play the zither.

our sideves.

means of all but about 50 men whether they can be trusted. in the country. An elephant cats £3,000 worth, of hay in a boy in Carl Hagenbeck's Circus year, at a rate of seven cwts. a day, and two cwts, of bran and whose eye gave him the danger oats a month, and, when thirsty, signal. A month later Gindl saw The newspaper said that to get drinks 200 gallons of water from him pick up his trainer and hurl

sellers to send their Above the music of the circus him across the ring. the orchestra you cannot hear Mr.



#### Must know you

Now, then, come on, come on, come on. Quicker there, Lachme, quicker, quicker. Pick 'em up, make an elephant start, stop and pick 'em up, pick 'em up. Pahto, don't be lazy. Huli! Hurry Hurry. Come on, you lazy girls, Why are you sneering? It is quicker, quicker. Now Lachme,

> And on that simple word the elephants, from circling round and round the ring, suddenly break formation and, following their leader Lachme, go into the next number of their routine.

But having the right voice is not everything. The animals one master.

But for that man they will do anything. "Pick up my whip, says Gindl and one of the elephants hands it to him. "Hold

Were the trainer ill the only kneel, dance, lie down, sit up person who could take command

other's backs, stand on their he would have to be present or the elephants would not obey her. airlines are continuing constant And all done by the voice! John Gindl, who was born in

We have positively nothing up Vienna and is now a British subject, says elephants are exactly Upkeep of my new kingdom, like human beings. Look at their. unfortunately, is beyond the eyes, he says, and you can see

He learned that lesson as a

Elephants, again like women-Gindl talking to his six elephants. excuse me-are quick in their bonds are held in deposit by a But if you played a sound track likes and dislikes. One reason been hurt by an elephant is that he has refused to have anything to do with an animal in which he sensed enmity.

#### Doubtful eye

Pahto is the only one of Gindl's elephants with a doubtful eye. A few weeks ago John noticed Pahto trying to bite and kick his groom. It: wasn't the boy's fault. but he had had no. . The animal had taken a dislike to him.

Arescelephants affectionate? This informant was (Constitued On Page 5)

#### Children freeze to death

Teheran, February 6. Ten children have been frozen to death in Ahar, a city North West of Azarbayan, a government official reported today.

Thousands of refugees , who came to Teheran a few months ago and are new. being sent back to Axarbayan have been trapped on the roads by the heavy snow.

Army planes are dropping food to several parties by parachute and cavalry units are taking alck refugees to nearby towns on horsehack .---Associated Press. .

### Marketing is biggest headache

Washington, February 5. The United States Agriculthat the world hunger problem has reached a point where marketing rather than production is the biggest headache. The Department made the statement in its annual report on the world food situation.

It said that while hungry people are eating better than at any time since the war their diets still are below pre-war levels. to suspect that India would lations with Pakisian on a "basis it said that part of the blame lies in the fact that world food production has increased only two to three per cent since before war while the population has climbed more than 10 per cent. But it said the major problem is how to funnel food from surplus producing nations. like the United States, to shortage countries, like India, which

This problem is pointed up, in added, by the accumulation of huge food surpluses in the United States when people are not getting enough to eat in other areas.

The Department said, however, there should be further improvement in the world food supplies in the coming year if the optimistic 1950 crop production estimates are borne out. It said crops in the Northern hemisphere are generally good although Russia may run into difficulties with its winter wheat

The report said, "In the Soviet Union there were reports of a dry autumn and snow cover has been light in a number of Western regions. Winter wheat in the United States is developing well and prospects are for a good crop -despite the 15 per cent\_decline in plantings. The acreage planted to winter wheat in India and Japan is slightly higher than last year and developments 'to date are good although more rain is needed in India."

Europe which had an unusually mild autumn which permitted late plantings, has increased its winter wheat acreage · slight over last year, the report said, adding that rainfall has been good and the crop is coming along good.— United Press.

### Efforts to resume air flights

Tokyo, February 6. American, British and Dutch efforts: to resume flights into Communist China, an informed source said today.

This source said Pan American and Northwest Airlines, British Overseas Airways Corporation, Hong Kong Airways and KLM the Dutch airline, had suggested to Pelping a joint operation into China if the Red Government disapproves Aights by individual

This is just one of the deals sent for resumption of air traffic into China, this informant us-

... Northwest Airlines had a ."green light" from the Reds to fly into China last November, this informant reported. Certain Communist conditions attached to the operation, however, made it impossible to fulfill.

The source presumed these conditions had been made known to the State Department. He said American Airlines would not operate into Red China without the Department's approval

Yes to their mester. Avery optimistic about tresumption. Sima Qindi entere their stebles international air traffic int China in the near future .- Assu-

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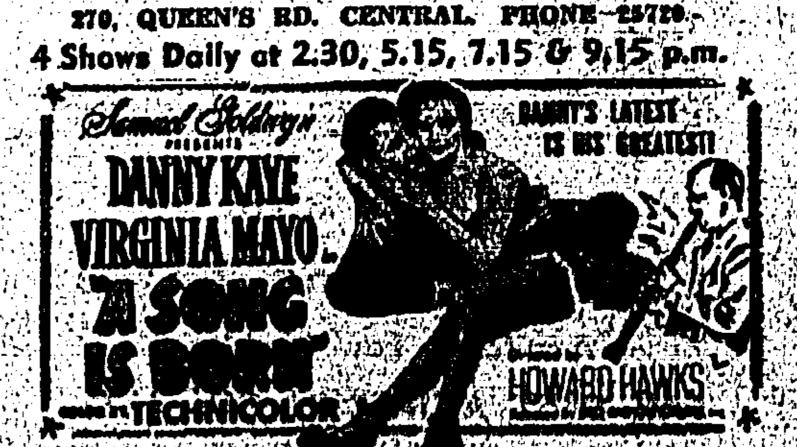
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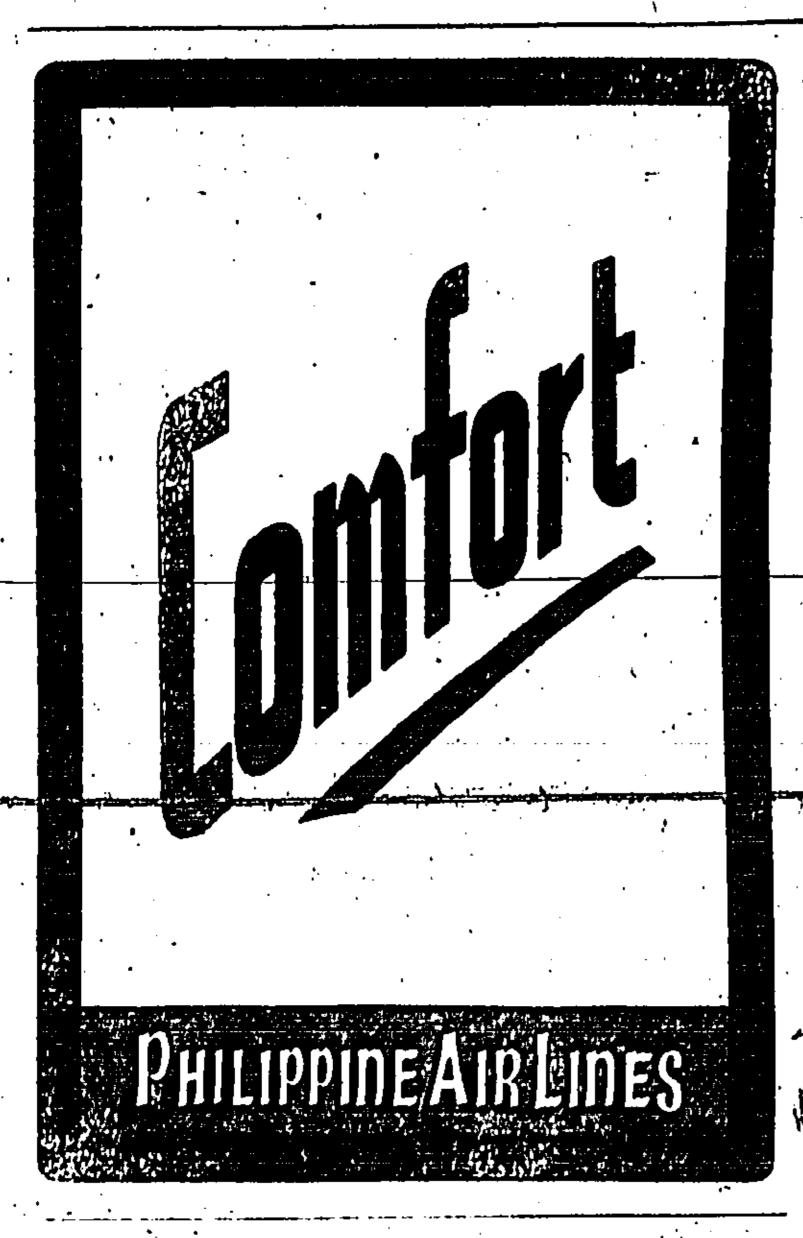
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#### BIRTH

GRAM-To Marie, wife of T. R. Ingram, on February 6th | at Queen Mary Hospital, a daughter.

#### INDUSTRIAL PEACE

and the Peking Radio have be a liability. Churchill-speeches sitting of that body. said their piece about the certainly did the Tories little events in Russell Street last good. week. There is no point in This time they do not know election year means that nearly the situation is to be welcom- of the truth as it appears to his ed. Nobody has anything to gain by creating more trouble, war, which is bad for the realise that Britain's fortunes certainly not the workers State, the public, and the in- by men over whom she has no pet scheme for the development themselves. Most of those vestor, and worse for the direct or indirect control. concerned in the disputes, workers. Communist Governhappily, have never left their ments have put an end to this jobs, and we are pretty certain | anarchy. Trade Union leaders | they will not have to.

centrated once more on the Even in China, where condi- pend to a considerable extent of Britain's battle for economic on efficiency and strength. essential task. This is to settle | tions are now so hard for the one way or the other the de- | workers, they are told that mands for increased allowan- they cannot strike for better ces, and to get the trams run- | conditions, since they would ning again as soon as possible. [-be-striking\_against\_themsel-They would still be running (ves in a People's State. today but for the ill-advised

also to ability to pay. justice or otherwise of the de- | interests of all are protected. them of being "Fascist stoo- ger stands still anywhere."

haracteristics of industrial employment matters.

### PROGRESS OF THE ELECTION

At the last general election. in 1945, it was found that by far the largest part of the electorate had decided for which party they would vote specialised vision-would take it . What is said on the radio-by . Many of those who have not many weeks before the campaign began. Inquiry at the present time suggests that it is the same again. The per-Reporters & General Office \$2318 centage of the voters who have not yet made up their

> One is to make sure that their enough for a lifetime. sympathisers actually vote. (Lahour attributed its dramatic losses recently did, however, improve cuming. not take the trouble to vote).

minds is very small.

The second pre-occupation is to make sure that voters do not change their iminds at the last

It is the Conservatives who many messages of sympathy, have most to fear last minute desertions. It is common at the to charity. They are en- moment to find working men sick to death of the drabness of devaluation, which have recently ! century ago. come on the country. At the moment they say they are going to vote against the Government. But will they, when the day comes? Many a working man will say at the last moment "Well, I think the Labour leaders are so-and-soes. But how can I, worker, vote for the Tories? It's not natural."

#### Chief asset

At the last election, Tories feit their chief asset—one of the few assets in the politically bankrupt -state-of-the-party-at-that-timewas the personality of Mr. Churchill. When the crash came, The Canton trade unionists many of them thought that their usset had in fact turned out to to Britain than any previous

going over these things again whether to congratulate them- every speech and vote by near-selves or to regret that Churchill by every Congressman and or in bandying words about is still their leader. Every time Senator will be made them. It is to be hoped the he opens his mouth they sweat domestic political considerations episode can be considered as with anxiety. Will he fire the upper-most in mind. closed and that the atmos- if Churchill were less imperphere will continue calm, it turbable, the solicitous anxiety of Colonel Blimp might say indigwas before the demonstrators, his followers would have put him nities—of Britain's present posiexcited by heated speeches, off his form. It is not edifying to tion that what 900 foreign legisattacked the police. The state- leader—the greatest orator of months is going to have a very ment by Union leaders that the age and consistently in the important effect on Britain's they had no wish to aggravate | past the most courageous teller | future.

vanished during the purges, gle, two considerations of some Attention can now be con- and strikes are impossible. importance, must inevitably de- tain the seeds of success or failure

In Britain order is replacing action of the conductors in the old anarchy through refusing to accept fares. The fairer methods. There have loss of revenue occasioned, in been strikes since the war, the first place by this action, but they have been "unoffiand later by the suspension of cial," and called, not by the the service, will-not-make it | proper Trade Union officials, easier for the Company to but by irresponsible agitators. meet the demands—even if The cost of living index now the study of the relation be- determines whether increastween the cost of living and ed wages are or are not justiwages shows an increased flable. Another vital reform is allowance is justified. Any the accepted association of general ruling on this matter | production and wages: more must, of course, be related production, higher wages Limitation of profits is also a But the principle of the fundamental factor. Thus the

mand for an increased allow- | Still another important ance owing to higher living factor in industrial peace is cost is the main thing, and on the new machinery set up in this we must await the find- each separate industry for ings of the Dairy Farm Arbi- consultation and conciliation. tration Board. This is a very The range of discussion in good Board. Professor Robert- | these Joint Committees is son will have the aid of a wide. They deal with all sorts singularly competent panel of of questions and not merely assessors nominated by the with hours and wages, and Company. Expert knowledge | dispose of day-to-day grieand ability has been placed vances and suggestions for above all other considerations, improvement of production The group nominated by the methods. The new inethods Labour Unions is also a strong | are being introduced, too, in one, and mobody will accuse the Colonies, for time no lon-

The Asian Regional Con-There is not much point ference of the Industrial Lanow in arguing about the bour Organisation meeting at said. "If I suddenly try them at the Zoo, but bareback? You causes of delays, except to Colombo, has recommended with a trick they have not done grasp her ear with your right emphasise that events have that the Governments of for five years their memories hand, the head harness with your shown how dangerous they Asian countries establish can be when a large number wage-fixing machinery to of workers have nothing to do protect the worker and to but roam the streets or at- ensure that increases in protend rallies and demonstra- ductivity are reflected in tions. The fact that arbitra- wage carnings. Wages so detion is the chosen instrument itermined should satisfy the in at least one of the disputes | minimum needs of the workis the major feature of the er and his family and should situation. That is all to the be compatible with the levels of productivity. The Hong two years to learn a trick If armed war is the curse Kong delegates to the Conof modern civilisation, strikes | ference returned on Sunday. and lockouts are just as much Their return is timely, bea curse in industrial relaticause they bring with them tions. Waste and want are the this latest ideas on labour and

### By "Windrush"

Labour does not under-rate the more weight than what is in the They have no confidence that it arcet of having Mr. Attlee as party manifestos. Both the Tory can deal with the crisis. On the leader. He may not be a colourful and the Labour manifestes have other hand they dislike and mis- age-old problem of who shall figure. "Sheep in sheep's cloth- appeared. The Labour manifesto trust the ideas and many of the ing", he was once described by has had a bad press. Everybody personalities of the Conservativa his predecessor. But he is ilked has fastened on its dishonesty in Party. by the electorate, rather as Pre- writing down the crisis and leavsident Truman is liked. Mr. ing out all mention of Marshall great conflict of principle. The The battle of the parties, the Churchill on the other hand is ald. The Tory manifesto is much Tory doctrine—often disguised sound and fury of the election respected, and a little feared. He more ably drafted-but for that yet guiding most of Tory thought will thus be chiefly to win the is for heroic times, and people reason it raises the suspicion of -is that the nation only prominority. The parties have, how- do not want to have heroic times being tricky and, crafty. The duced a maximum national inever, two other pre-occupations, forced on them. They have had electorate prefers rtraight-for- come if every individual is free

> peet. So far in the radio war how it would deal with it. But the electorate has heard. Mr. the public doubts whether these Churchill and J. B. Priestley. mensures would make the situa- the prime responsibility for the Honours are fairly even. Priest- tion any better. They might make well-being of both | nation and individual lies on the state itself. Clannish Spanish.

worry about But Britain,

election year in the U.S. too.

The present session of the

American Congress will probably

prove to be of greater importance

And the fact that 1950 is an

It is one of the ironies—a

It is, perhaps, exasperating 'to

outcome of Britain's dollar, strug-

the American Congress.

"State of the Union" message.

Here it should be interpolated

that President Truman is also a

politician. It must, therefore, be

expected that he, too, will be in-

fluenced by the prospect of his

Democratic Party's present pro-

minence being challenged at the

Future holds the

answer

He is pledged already to re-

quest from Congress several con-

cessions which should aid Bri-.

polls next November.

on the results of 1950's debates in survival.

live chosen Socialists-will carry the policies of the Labour l'arty, Virgil vigil.

that many of its supporters did and authority still demand res- suggests in very general terms prodded into activity by suffering

restore all the old inequalities in of society.

The other election to watch

By WILLIAM

HARDCASTLE

which are crippling Britain's ex-

He must resist any move to in-

crease tariffs on British goods

which are hurting individual

President's own

scheme

other European countries in the

He must obtain at least

third year of the Marshal Plan.

of backward British and other

colonial areas which would even-

Any or all of these issues con-

Many individual American in-

dustries are suffering from Bri-

tain's kioliar-earning or dollar-

saving drives-and they are lob-

bying Congressmen strenuously

for an increase in their tariff pro-

The U.S. Government has

drawn-up-a-plan for the slashing

of red tape surrounding Customs

regulations, but there is a grea

danger of this Bill getting lost in

the rush of legislation which

always falls in the Congressional

Congress is in a money-saving

ports to the U.S. at present.

American industries.

Only the unpredictable future cent economic mess.

One election a year is volves a possible loss of De-

deep in her own political of a Congressional session holds

should be so intimately affected \$1,000,000,000 to start his own

The fact remains, however, that tually provide a profitable market

cently and had legislative pro- ously yawning dollar gap—and

gramme laid before it by Pre- there is a strong move in certain

sident Truman in his -- traditional quarters to make such a cut. --

the defence of Britain and the for British goods.

enough for any nation to mocratic votes?

preoccupations, is going to the answer to that one.

society. It fears too that Tory government would mean unemployment.

easy and make few public ap- the five chosen. Tories and the yet decided how to vote dislike

wardness, even if it is barren to seek his advantage by private Mr. Churchill's radio speech and empty, to verbal skill and enterprise (within the limits of at the London County Council a little the Tory prospects. He Tory manifesto certainly individual is given the incentive elections last year to the fact impressed by sheer artistry. Skill does not ignore the crisis. It of reward for success and is

was made. In present times radio has the almost unshakeable con- is one of the deepest desires of is the decisive instrument in a viction that the Pories, under man to be cared for and looked general election. The radio the pretence of dealing with the after. Socialism has thus address plays the same part as crisis, would start a crafty attack | natural, if baleful and dangerous, the rive-column newspaper re- on all that Labour has gained in attraction for all but the most life under the calamities, such as port of a political speech half a the last five years, and would combative and energetic members. Germany has been accepted as

Voters dislikes

Hidden in the background is a the criminal law), and if the if he is idle.

The Socialist doctrine is that

Last word with

Congress

tent of a new atomic alliance between Britain, Canada, and the

ever decision is reached at the

atomic war.

Recent developments at Pratas Island have at last elucidated the salvage the salvagers themselves.

Russia wants Hollywood films, Can afil-American prepaganda go further?

contemporary's quiz, "have dominated England since the Norman invasion?" Offhand I'd say the Derby and the Grand National.

For the guidance of governments which have not yet seen the light, I would point out that you can recognise the Peking regime by its identification Marx.

Clannish Spanish.

individualists left in Spain are protesting against Washington's imminent recognition of Franco as the European bulwark against Communism. Now that Western one can only wonder at the blunders of these sombre hombres.

Bigger and better America again: one of the "spectacular improvements" currently announce Nineteen-fifty, then, will be a for bubble gum is the ability to test year of America's sincerity blow three bubbles when on helping Britain out of her pre- previously there was only one.

Myrtle says that brassieres It's also going to see far-reach- have become so brief that they can scarcely reputation.

have it forcibly brought to next to ne A furniture dealer in London. weary of contributing 0/2d. a week for his "free" health service, is going to advertise a free furnishing service for customers "Exploratory" talks on the ex- paying similar instalments.

"Hew did you get on with U.S. are still going on. But what- Betty?" asked John. "I started off well," replied the Government level Congress will ardent young lover. "I said I was knee-deep in love with her. But all that happened was that

Over in Britain,

The Atlantic Pact is not a year He must obtain an adequate old yet. The programme of sum of money for Britain and American military aid, without which the pact can never become really effective, has scarcely

#### Britain's defence involved

At this session Congress must again vote at least \$1,000,000,000 to see the arms scheme really under way and the Western European defensive alliance take

The defence of Britain, a senior A cut in Marshall Plan funds partner in this alliance, is in-The Congress reconvened re- would widen the already danger- extricably involved in the adequacy and speed of Congresssional action on this issue.

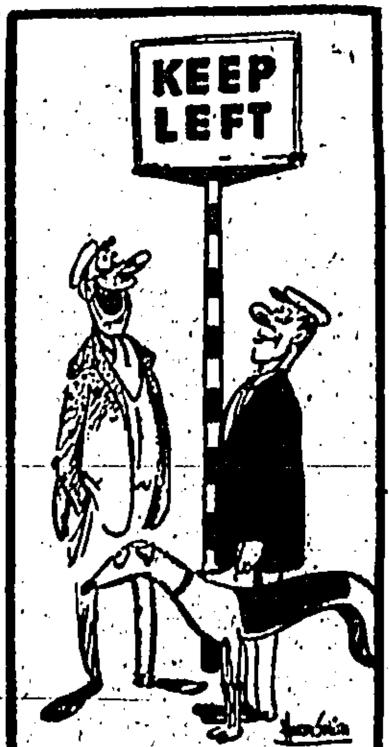
--And-yet,-while-it-is-true-to-say that Britain will be deeply affected by the action of the U.S. Congress in the 1950 elections, the reverse is equally valid. The outcome of the British

elections will certainly have an important effect on Congressional opinion. Without taking sides it is mere

factual reporting to add—that—a Conservative victory would produce a considerably more favourable reaction here—and help speed, many of the treasures listed above—than a return the Labour Party.

have the final word. On their "Yes" or "No" may she' promised to put me on her depend Britain's future atomwading list." bomb production plans, her progress in the peace-time field of Man of the people. atomic development, her, pro-

paredness in the face of an Morrison reveals that he has the sort of soul which is improved by washing dishes.



"One thing I'll say for Herbert Morrison-he knows how to advertiss!"

### As an elephant man I'm one in a million

tain's dollar drive and help al- mood, and may prove reluctant to

leviate her economic crisis. How vote more millions for a long-

strongly will he press for these range dollar scheme to help dis-

concessions if the doing of it in-I tant, if backward, Colonies.

(Continued from Page 5) Recently he was away for fortnight. "How are my girls? he asked on return and, though

they were 50 yards away, there came such a beliowing, hollering, screaming and trumpeting that the staff thought the elephants had broken loose. Not at all. They were just saying "Helio!" to their lord and

Gindl does not believe the old say that elephants never forget "They forget like you do," need jogging as humans do."

Leave them alone and, with s knee and up you go. wort of andistic glee, they will tear everything up and trample it underfoot with chaotic equality. Leave n stable shovel within reach of those twilling trunks and n/shambles will result to Like humans, clephants learn ing to their brains. It may take them anything from two days to

How to ride

teach ope of them to are a literapte here I come This year Hungoli had

It took her three days to get used to the sight of it, two more to come near it, three to touch it and then: 10 days of gentle coaxing to make her stroke her trunk to any fro across the

At Olympia, you will hear her following in the footstops of every orchestra in the country by playing the Harry Lime

What is it like to ride an elephant, not as a maharaja or Elephants are mischievous, too. | against hers, you place it on her

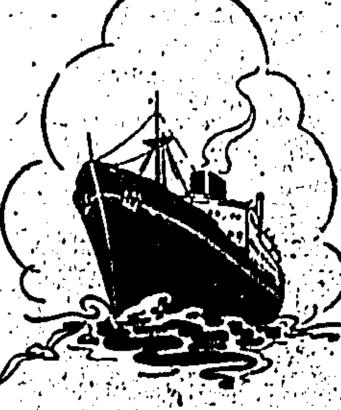
#### More comfortable

Next moment you are aloft King of the Castle—the Elephant and Castle. I assure you it is far more comfortable than riding on gither quickly or slowly, accord- a bus. Besities, the seat is so delichtfully warm.

In fact, if the Editor finds no further use for mir services. Land going to Mr. Chicle It is not offen in a lifetime you are halled

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### CHIEF REPORTING ON FUCHS SPY CASE

America may try to extradite scientist

### INTERESTING DETAILS

Washington, February 5. The FBI director, J. Edgar Hoover, will give Congress a confidential report tomorrow on the Dr. Klaus Fuchs atomic spy case. He already has said publicly that its ramifications in this country are being traced-a hint that other suspects may fall into the FBI net.

Mr. Hoover will testify in secret before the Congressional Atomic Energy Committee which is investigating the possibility of trying to extradite Fuchs from London for an American trial, but sees scant chance of success.

### Russia may have better

Berlin, February 5. Russia has "probably mas-\_tered"\_a\_new\_type\_of\_chain\_ reaction that is better than the hydrogen bomb, Professor Robert Hans Havemann, a leading East Berlin physicist, wrote today.

Professor - Havemann's - article published in the Socialist Unity Party's newspaper, "Neues Deutschland," said that the new method consisted of combining ordinary hydrogen with "heavy" forms of certain metals in the so-called "hydrides."

This type of reaction had betiter prospects of success than the type which the Americans meant and Canada; when they talked about their "bomb" or "super-bomb," he said.

"News from the Soviet Union concerning the application of atomic energy to peaceful purposes have in general led to the supposition that such atomic reactions have already been achieved." Professor Havemann wrote.

"Mr. Truman's theatelcal scribed the projected American hydrogen-bomb, consists uniting super-heavy hydrogen (triton), whose atom consists of one proton and two neutrons. with ordinary hydrogen. Out of this union comes one atom of hellum and a great deal of energy.

process are the exceptional rarity foreign accomplices in the atomic of triton and the great difficulty spy operation. He said the Comof manufacturing it. The tech- mittee had not been told when nical processes sketched here are Fuchs implicated anyone else in that it offered the lowest bid. generally known among atom his reported confession. physicists and it would be totally incorrect to talk about an American monopoly in this field.

taunched on to the world is body connected with atomic energy clearly aimed at the creation of and H-bomb work. In a radio panic among people who have broadcast today, Senator Tydings weak nerves and are uninformed said he fervently hoped the enough to take the White House's propaganda bomb at its face

"On the other hand, information from the Soviet Union leads to the conclusion that considerable technical progress along this path has already been made,"-

### Singapore bank switches

London, February 5. The Bank of China's branch in Singapore has declared its allegiance to the Central People's Government and wired its office for instructions. according to a New China (Communist) News Agency report received in London to-

The head office of the Bank of China had replied that the policy of the People's Government was to protect the proper interests of Chinese overseas and the depositors, the Agency added.

Apart from taking over the official shares by the People's Government, the rights and inholders, with the exception of a "few war criminals", would be was benefitling, but it refused to protocted; lt sald.

China abroad werp instructed to chilsm. carry on business as usual and . According to the Party Hoodperve oversuas Chiceso 4 LAL Chang-ching." Managor of last wook brought the Party a the Singapore branch; has been spate of letters demanding that re-appointed Manager and the Liberal candidates stand in constaff there are to retain their stituencles they had not so for posts, the reply kald,—Reuter.

Fuchs, soized by Scotland Yard on information dug up by the FBI, has allegedly confessed giving Russia vital American and British secrets on the atom bomb and the dread new hydrogen superbomb.

"It is unfortunate that in this

should not have been cleared.

But at the time they cleared

"I can see no point in severing

our relations with Britain and

Canada because of this incident,

for it might delay for many

months, and maybe years, com-

pletion of the hydrogen bomb."-

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February 5.

If found guilty when he goes more slowly in the production of on trial before the British court these weapons. on Fridny, he could get 14 years in prison. The maximum penalty for atomic esplonage in the Unit-, one case they cleared a man who ed States is death.

-Members of the Atomic Com- him, all the facts seemed to inmittee told the United Press they diente he was trustworthy. had discussed asking the State Department to try and extradite Fuchs but that it seemed hope-

General Leslie Groves, wartime head of the U.S. atomic bomb project, faces public questioning United Press. on why his security officers failed to double-check the British clearance of a man whom Mr. Hoover has described as a pald Russian agent planted in Britain.

Fuchs, a German-born British scientist, worked in secret American atomic plants from 1943 to 1946 as a leading member of the British mission sent here under the wartime atom bomb partnership of the United States, Britain

#### Interesting details

Some Senators predicted that the retired General might dofend his record by bringing from a 10-day visit to Canada bour,-United Press. out some interesting details of the still secret 1943 "Quebec agreement", between the late President Roosevelt and then British Prime Minister, Winston Churchill. They Implied that the agreement might have required General Groves to accept Fuchs' British credentials without question.

Senator Eugene Millikin, leading" Republican member of the Committee, said M Hoover undoubtedly would be asked whether his men are on "The disadvantages of this the trail of any American or

Democratic Senator Millard Tydings predicted that one outcome of the Fuchs affair would Press. "The threat of a super-bomb be a "more intense and more the Americans have complete" investigation of everyaffair would not result in breakling up the moves toward new and closer atomic partnership between the United States, Britain and Canada.

> "We in America realise that many of the major contributions towards development of the atomic bomb, and no doubt of the hydrogen bomb, have been made by eminent British scientists. Without their help and support, their experiments and knowledge, we would go so much

#### to Communists Candidates of Liberals increasing

London, February 5. The Liberal Party Headquarters tonight announced that the number of Liberal candidates selected to fight the General Election had passed the 450 mark and more were expected to be nominated.

Mr. Frank Byers, the Liberal chief Whip in the Parliament just dissolved, when adopted as it candidate for Blandford, North Dorset, sald that the Liberal Party believed in social reform and had ploneered most of the measures from which the country accept the idea that to get social All branches of the Bank of reform they must also accept 80-

> quarters, Mr. Byers broadcast decided to contest.—Reuter.

#### Acheson may face sharp questioning

Washington, February 5. The Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, may face sharp questioning by Senators this 'week on the administration's Chins policy.

Mr. Acheson is expected to be asked to testify by a Benate Appropriations Bub. committee on State Depart. ment requests for funds in the new budget.

Senator William F. Know. land, Republican California, chief critic of what he has called the administration's bankrupt Asia policies, will be on hand with a full line of questions. - Associated

### PROMISES, APPEALS, WARNINGS

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London, February 5. The Labour Party today with speeches offering voters a variety of promises, appeals and warnings.

There was no major Conservative figure in today's array of speakers asking for support the general elections on February Separate appeals to voters were made by four leading Sochilists: the Chancellor of Exchequer, Sir Stafford Cripps, the Health Minister, Mr. Aneurin Bevon, the deputy Prime Minister, Mr. Herbert Morrison. and the president of the National Union of Mineworkers, Sir William Lawther.

Sir Stafford told an audience in the London suburb of Brixton that a progressive government in Britain was the one great safeguard against the wave of reaction sweeping Western Europe.

Mr. Bevan told an overflow crowd of 5,000 at the Liverpool stadium that the Labour Government "shall go on building houses until every family has separate home." He dismissed Mr. Winston Churchill's fellow Conservatives as a miserable persons planned to seize the half

Speaking at Wakefield, Mr Morrison appealed to members of the minority Liberal Party to vote Labour. Sir' William told his audience

The Chairman of Britain's that a Conservative Dollar Export Board, Sir Cecil would mean the loss of liberty Weir, returned by air today and freedom for organised la-

#### H-BOMB IS sell more products in the U.S. DEVILISH

Liverpool, February 5. Canada particularly, he said, The Archbishop of York, Dr. will buy more British products Cyril Garbett, in a sermon toso that it may dispose of more of its primary commodities in day described the hydrogen the traditional United Kingdom bomb as a devilish weapon which must be 'outlawed if civilisation-is-to-survive.---He advised British manufacturers to deliver goods promptly.

"Now that the race to make this bomb has been started, will only end either by its use in Sir Cecil said he will lenguire war or by an international agreefurther in the action of Scattle ment to prohibit or control its in denying an electrical contract manufacture," he said.

to a British firm despite the fact | The Archbishop, second ranking prelate in the Church of "United Kingdom firms should England, spoke at h service at have the same opportunities as the Liverpool Cathedral in oba domestic firm if their prices servance of the centenary of the are right," he said.—Associated Liverpool Chamber of Commerce. -Associated Press.



### Berlin Reds plan putsch in May, reports reveal

Berlin, February 5. Western intelligence sources said here today they had received reports that the Communists were planning to turn their 500,000-man youth demonstration here on Sunday, May 28, into a putsch for power.

They said reports to that effect had been piling up in their files for the past month, but they emphasised that they had no way of confirming

Kenneth Downs, American public affairs chief in Berlin, said: "We have plans for all eventualities. Naturally normal security measures will be taken."

cials, were conferring on the an announcement by Gerhard threat. He refused to say what Eisler, former Communist agent measures would be taken because In the United States and now "we consider it unwise to tell the East German Minister of Inenemy our plans in advance." formation, on January 31: "From

American intelligence sources in Frankfurt said several reports dominated the campaign stage of the Communist plans had been made. They added that they all looked quite serious.

> Charges that the Communists planned to "conquer". West Berlin added to the general case of litters caused here by Russian's on-again, off-again "baby blockadd" It was on again tonight after restrictions were eased for nearly, 24 hours. At Helmstedt tonight Soviet guards took up to 10 minutes to check each truck's papers and cargo and the backlog soon built up to 25 trucks.

#### Part of compaign

Police broke up Communist attempts to demonstrate in the French sector of Berlin and arrested 30 persons, Allied sources said they regarded the skirmish as part of the Communist campaign to back up the Boviet's "little blockade" with a war of nerves in Western parts of the city.

Use of the French sector hall for a Red rally had been refused, like dynamite.' but the police said about 100 anyway. They were taken into custody-by West German police. who were waiting for them on the sector border.

Western officials expected the Russians to intensify the "little blockade" in wake of the sharp Soviet rejection of Allied charges I that the Russians were hindering The West German police clash

was the first violence since the Russians clamped their blockade" on Berlin on January

from four to 10 trucks an hour at the zonal border checkpoint at United Press and Helmstedt.

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A high German, source said the | Reports that the Communists | Median process | A high German Communists | A high German Communist | A high May 27 to May 30 Berlin, Germany and the whole world will witness the most gigantic march of German youth ever to take place in Germany."

> He said 20,000 specially-trained members of the Free German Youth, the Soviet Zone Communist organisation, would demonstrate in the Western sectors. Sponsors of the youth rally have asked British permission to hold sporting events in the Olympic Stadium in the British sector on May 28, the day the putsch reportedly would be attempted.

#### Govt's overthrow planned

Reports reaching Allied intelligence said the Communists planned to the up West Berlin transport, overpower West Berlin's 11,000 policemen and take over the city Government.

One intelligence source said, 'We cannot youch for the nbsolute truth of the reports, but we think there is a lot of truth in them. . There is no doubt something will come off. It looks

Eisler said 500,000 youths would be gathered here from Germany. Russia, China, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Rumania, Bulgarla, France, Italy; Austria, Norway and Sweden.

In Bonn, Social Democratic leader Kurt Schumacher sald today he had information of a Communist plot to take over Western Berlin on May 28 and said the Allies should stop it with with Communist demonstrators The flery one-armed Schuma-

cher spoke out after a two-day rally of party chieftains. His charges could be part of a polifical manoeuvre against the West The Russians were passing German Government headed by Chancellor Konrad Adenauer .-



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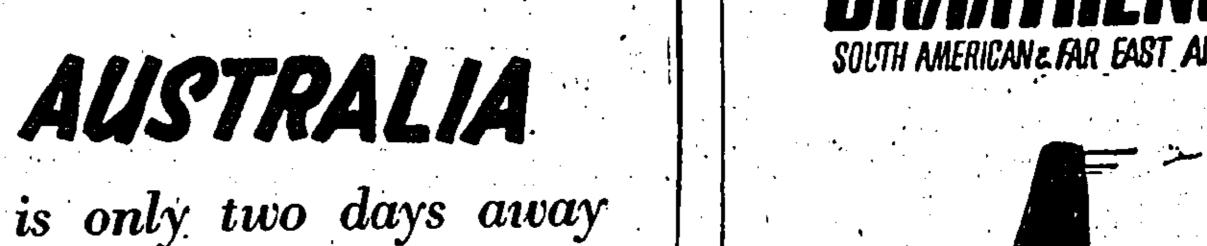
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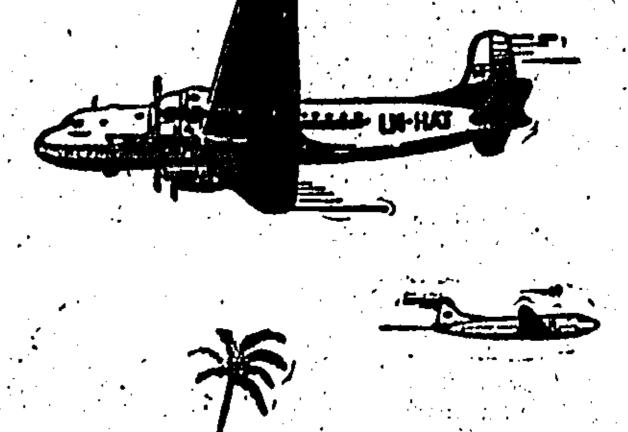
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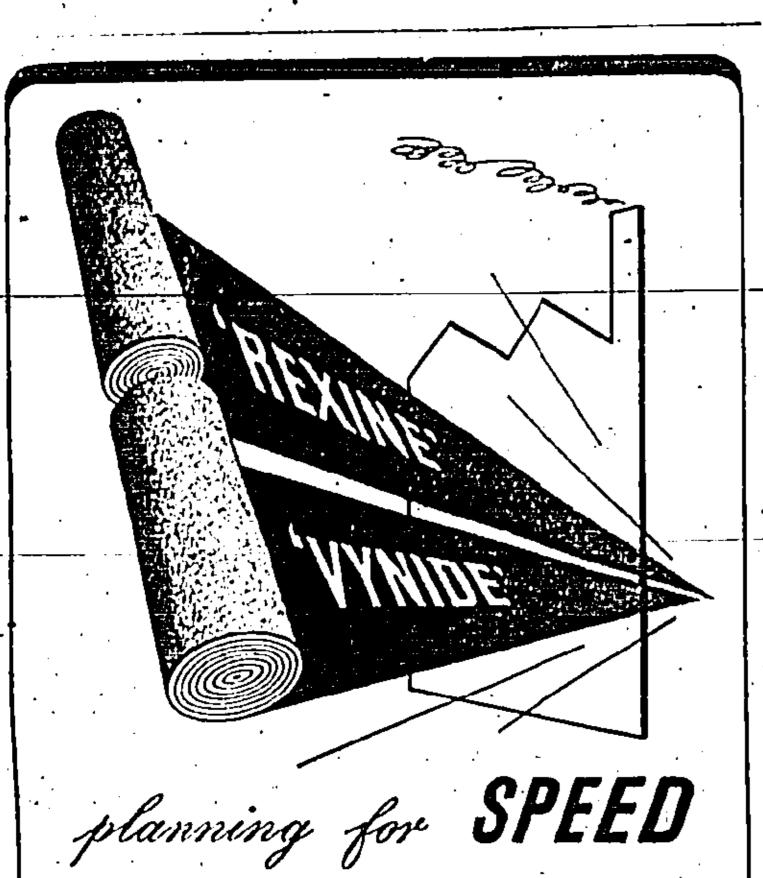
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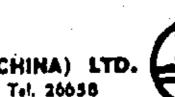
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### U.S. SCIENTIST GROUP URGES FRESH START TOWARD WORLD PEACE

### comment on tram issue

San Francisco, February 5. Chinese Communist

incident that the working class of present stubborn deadlock." "We warn the culprits of this the People's Republic of China will brook no suppression of our not serve to stop the danger of thousand Peking workers support and "our country must turn from the just demands of the Hong the false security of bombs to Kong fraternal workers,"

The Peking Trade Union Coun- through mutual agreement... cil, which is now in session, pass- gradual disarmament... worlded a resolution protesting the wide reconstruction." Hong Kong Government's "brutal nction," the radio declared.

radio said, "Britain expressed her desire to establish diplomatic nowhere sharper than here in our relations with the People's China, and now the Hong Kong Police suppress our brother workers with armed forced. This eloquently reveals the hypocrisy and true colours of imperialism.

Chairman of the Peking University Students' Union, Wang Hsuch-chen, described the action of the Hong Kong Police as an insult\_to\_the\_Chinese people, the brondenst concluded. - United

### 'Pravda' charges talse

Moscow, February 5. The Communist Party organ, "Prayda," and other news-American occupation authorittion of Japanese prisoners held ning on atomic armaments. He million dollar corporation. by the Russians in order to said the "question which faces us

They cited the magazine "Australlan Democrat", which was widely distributed here, as source. According to that Melbourne publication, (the repatriation\_issue\_was\_an\_ordinary\_trick intended to frighten relatives of Japanese who once lived in Manchurla, and said the Americans and Japanese reactionaries faked the number of Japaneso prisoners, listing the names of soldiers who had died early in tha war and were never captured by the Russians.

"Prayda" quoted journalistic circles in Japan as saying repatriation of prisoners was used by the Americans as a manocuvrol prisoners.--United Press.

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Further Red The Council of the Federation of American Scientists told the nation today to stop depending. New York, February 5. and urged a fresh American start toward peace through mutual ägreement and disarmament.

"We can be sure that if we build H-bombs the Russians will build them also," the scientists said in a statement following a meeting here. The Council represents 1,500 scientists in 40 states:

Warning that no weapon, howtary on the demonstration of president Truman to set up n tramway strikers in Hong new Commission "to examine the Kong last week, declared to- whole issue of our atomic policy and to make a fresh start looking forward to a policy which offers some hope of breaking the

It said that an arms race does brother workers. Four hundred the horrible hydrogen bomb war slow the difficult task of gaining security by approaching peace

The Council said the super bomb appears to threaten our "Only some days ago," the rivals "but the President and people must see that threat lies | ported today. homes, in our cities. Of all the

#### Pure illusion

The Council said any belief that the United States can maintain monopoly on the super weapon is pure lilusion.

Dr. Hugh\_Wolfe, -chairman of the Council, told reporters that the suggested new commission would work on a broader frame- \$4,000,000,000 atom bomb pro-work than the Acheson-Lilienthal gramme. Other quarters said he commission of 1946. He said, "This involves American people a qualified man. too much to be lett in the hands of any small group to make secret decisions." He said the member- anxious to fill the vacancy political scientists, military men proceed at full speed ahead on and officials familiar with foreign building the super-secret hydrotrade and the United Nations.

The scientist said that American the one hand seeking international expected prospect when he sumdiscredit the Soviet Union in today is whether the United the minds of the Japanese States will persist in its avowed nomination he would face a hard continue to rely on atomic

> sion on the hydrogen bomb can be interpreted by the world as a symbol that we have .... placed for destruction. Greater weight must be placed on the side of real security and peace."

#### Control objective

It said, "Our objective must continue to be effective atomic control, including a thoroughgoing inspection."

Wolfe suggested a method for .. to destroy the influence on the controlling atomic weapons. The Japanese people of repatriated plan would be to empower the United Nations to count all atomic

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### Luckman chairman?

Washington, February 5. President Truman has offered the chairmanship of the United States Atomic Energy Commission to 40-year-old Charles Luckman who recently quit the \$300,000 a year job as president of Lever Brothers Company, it was re-

Asked to confirm the report, Press, "You would have to ask the President to get a direct answer. I will not deny or confirm the report."

The White House refused to

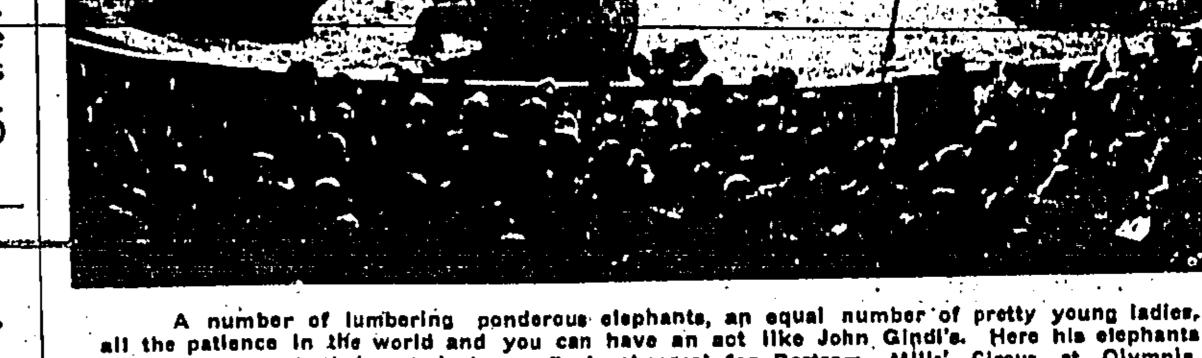
The \$17,500-a-year post becomes vacant on February when Mr. David Lillenthal retires to private .llfe after thre years at the helm of the vital

ship would include scientists. quickly so the Commission can men.

Usually well-informed quarters way: papers charged today that the policy assumes two aspects—on sald Mr. Luckman became the control of atomic energy and on marily resigned on January 18 ies in Japan raised the provoca- the other basing military plan- from the Presidency of the multi- 637,980.

> If Mr. Luckman accepts the policy of seeking peace through Many legislators have been cold agreement" or whether it will toward him since 1947 when he toward him since 1947 when he served as chairman of Presiden Truman's highly controversial The Council said, "The deci- Farm Conservation Committee. Also he is an active and outspoken supporter of Mr. Truman's .... legislativo .... programme. a terrible weight in the balancel This might stir up strong Republican and Southern Democratic opposition.—United Press.

> > materials stored in any country that owns them, originally and then place the materials under United Nations guard in those Kuomintang naval vessels descountries. Plants would be shut troyed. down and kept under United Nations inspection to assure that control all the mainland except they remain closed. He said there Tibet, with a total population of is no peacetime use for hydrogen 460,530,000, and that the Naenergy "so far as we can see. The tionalists control only Tibet, cannot be used for anything else with a total population



are going through their act during a final rehearsal for Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia, London,-(Associated Press Photo).

### Spain's Monarchists protest against Acheson statement

Reds list Nationalist casualties

San Francisco, February 5. Chinese Red Army headquarters said today the Nationalists had lost 7,445,620 men, mostly by surrender and descrtion, in three and one-

from Peking said that in six Spaniards. The President is believed to be | months ending December 31, the Nationalists had lost 1,754,220

There was no explanation why this added up to about 22,000 fewer than the overall figure. It gave figures on vast quanti-

cluding 18 which crossed surrendered), 7,403 artillery pieces, rifles, carbines pistols and anti-000,000 rounds of ammunition. In addition, eight Kuomintank planes were shot down and six

half years of civil war.

The broadcast, heard by the XII. Associated Press here; broke down the six month losses this

Casualties 90,220, captured 786,920, surrendered 215,070, revolted and deserted to Reds

which crossed over through up- bers and sympathisers but could soft coal fields indicated that risings), 45 naval vessels (in- not stage a public demonstration there would be few, perhaps through uprisings and six which persocution from which the or-43,864 machine-guns, 006,499 tank rifles, 31 flamethrowers, 16 tanks, 17 armoured cars, 566 United States Charges d'Affaires for a 70-day fact-finding truce motor vehicles, more than 2,000,- in Madrid. 000 shells, and more than 100,-

The broadcast said the Reds energy you get out of hydrogen Talwan and some other islands hesides explosion."-United Press 11,233,000,-Associated Press.

### Madrid, February 5. Spanish Monarchists, supporters of Don Juan of

Bourbon, issued today the text of the letter sent several days ago to protest against a recent statement by the American Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, that there is no sign of an alternative to the present Govern-

ment in Spain. The protest said in part, "The Monarchists' organisation maintains that the alternative to

the present regime for Spain exists and promises the restoration of the monarchy in the person of the legitimate claimant, Don Juan of Bourbon.

"This monarchy is based on Making no explanation of the the democratic principles of Wesis having a hard time in finding impossible exactness of all its tern civilisation adapted to the figures, the special communique traditions and idiosyncracies of

> "It is based on the principles of public and Christian law re-peatedly proclaimed by Pope Plus

> "This monarchy would guarantee: a reformed and healthy public economy, the rights of free citizens, within the strict maintenance of law and order, political conciliation and harmony of a legal and pacific charactor for all Spaniards, the entry of Spain into the family of the Western nations."

planes (including five tion had numerous secret mem- work tomorrow. A survey of over to show its strength owing to the none. ganisation suffers under the presont regime.

#### Undismayed.

Undismayed by vigorous atby the Madrid newspaper battle for a new contract, raising "Arriba," Don Juan's supporters wages 95 cents a day, increasing published the text of their pro-, royalties for the UMW welfare

Monarchists who actively support willing and able. an early restoration in the person | Adding to pressure on Presiof Don Juan, had no connection deat Truman for direct intervenwith a message sent independ tion in the economy-shaking disdently to President Truman re- pute was the critical condition cently on the same subject by of the nation's, coal supplies. other Monarchists.

and General Franco on the yacht United Press. Azor in the summer of 1948, Don Juan ordered his supporters in Spain to cease active opposition to the regime.

During 1949, relations cooled and a proposed meeting in Lisbon during General Franco's visit to the Portuguese capital last auturnn was abandoned by Don

He had been told that whereas the General would be glad to meet him, he was not prepared to discuss concrete political questions. —Reuter. 🤄

#### Portugal's population increases

Lisbon, February 5. Official Portuguese statistics reveal that the country's population increased by more than 1,000,000;

between 1938 and 1948.
The rate of 100,000 per year is probably continuing, the statistics showed. By December 31, 1950 the population will probably be

The city of Lisbon itself gained 120,000 inhabitants over the 11

pulation. Some 55,650 tons of mest, for example, were consum- alignly more, from 180,615 tons ed in 1938, and only 55.915 tons in 1936 to 203,537 tons in 1948, in 1948, and the price had in (a 18 per cent increase), but the

### Full-scale strike seen

Pittsburgh, February 5. John L. Lowis' 400,000 soft coal miners were set tonight for full-scale walkout which will force President Truman's hand in the explosive coal dispute..

A White House statement said

While Lewis has issued no ·formal-strike·order,---the --United ---Mine Workers president's rejec-The letter was handed to the tion of Mr. Truman's proposal was regarded by most miners as

a "quit work" signal. UMW officials reported that their men were feeling ready totacks launched on them today force the issue in the eight-month fund from 20 to 35 cents a ton and strengthening their right to This message, sent by those stop work when they are not

Government sources reported less After a meeting of Don Juan than 19 days' supply on hand .-

#### GERMAN MINISTER ESCAPES

Berlin, February 5: The East German Christian Democratic Party announced tonight that Gerhara Rohner, Finance Minister of the Soviet Zone province of Saxony, had fled to Western Berlin. The official: announcement is said the

had escaped. Rohner was under Communist officials of the Zone's non-Communist // Parties, for allegedly placing Party interests above those of the Communist-run "National Front" of all parties.

Western officials said more than 50 officials had been expelled from the Christian Democratic Union and the Liberal : Democratic Party since January 1. Tho. purge is believed to have been designed to prepare the way for a single state of hand-picked candidates in the Zone Selections scheduled for October 15 -- United

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### Situation in SE Asia Worsening

Bangkok, February 5. A deteriorating situation in South East Asia confronts American diplomats who will sit down here on February 13 the their widely heralded policy conference.

Some pessimistic observers say when the conferees examine their cards they will find the Western powers are holding a losing hand with the Far East must be over this part of the world-unless the have to keep it clear." eards are played more skillfully.

information and impressions.

U. S. Ambassadors from Korea, Ceylon, the Philippines, Australin, New Zealand and India and chiefs from Saigon, Pakistan and Hong Kong will at no use preaching to them. We tend the meeting, expected to should tell them of their big last four days.

Findings and recommendations to produce more." State Department to help determine American policy in tha

But some akilled onlookers already say privately events are stacked so strongly in favour of Communism in this area South of China that the Western powers would do well to write off the area for the time being and prepare for the day when democratic influences might stand a chance of returning.

Most diplomats do not anticipate" a direct' Chinese Communist army invasion of South- with the United States depended east Asla. But huge Communist upon the Japanese youth being Chinese forces are on the Yunnan and Kwangtung borders of Burma and Indo-China and these observers do not care to ignore the possibility of such an Invasion.

#### Call to youth

Meanwhile, Fuo Mo-jo, leading Chinese leftist writer who is also president of the "Committee of Defenders of the Peace," today called upon the youth of South East Asia to rise up and everthrow their quarters. governments in order to contribute toward world lasting peace.

The call was issued over Peking Radio to mark the observation of "International Day of Struggle Against Colonial Regimes "-- on February 21.

friends" that the Chinese people salute the heroic youths and stu-dents who are "fighting against overcome. In the case of the former, the Chamber delegates salute the heroic youths and stu- handicaps which Korea must liberation." He urged them to said they are arranging for a ship "rally all patriotic young people to call at a Korean port to give and closely unite with all anti- that country a highway to the imperialist forces . . . in order | rest of the world. finally to overthrow the reac- He said Korea has been slow tionary rule of the imperialists to realise its tourist trade opporand their lackeys."

The appeal said the youths should support the more than 10,-000,000 Chinese living in Malaya, the Philippines, Slam, Australia and Vietnam who are suffering "discrimination, maltreatment and killing by the imperialists and their lackeys.—United Press.

### **Beatification of** Spanish nun

Vatican City, February 5. Hundreds of Spanish pligrims were among the groups thronged St. Peter's Basilica today for the beatification of a Spanish nun, Maria Desolata Torres.

It was the second beatification ceremony of the Catholic Church's 25th Holy Year. Tho was that of the Roman priest, Vincenzo Paliotti, last

Thousands of electric candles in the crimson-draped Basilica lit up glant tapestries depicting miracles performed by the nun as the Prefect of Vatican ceremonies read out the Papal letter announcing the beatification. The Blessed W Maria Desolata Torres Acosia who, with today's ceremony, has breached the first a saint, was born in Madeld in 1826. When she was only 22, she began working among the many sick and old people who lived in wretched hute on the outskirts of Madrid: By the time she was 30 she had founded the Institute of the Servants of Mary, devoted to the cause of the poor and the "In 1870 the Hieseld Maria loft Spain for Bantingo, Cube, with a

group of nunsy to a found a new House Later the congregation

Manila, February 6. Leaders of the Scattle Chamber of Commerce, on their friendship tour, said today that the Orient must be made strong economically if the United States is to retain its prestige, and democracy is to flourish in this part of the world.

Members of the delegation, nearing the end of a -one-month-trip,-said-in-an-interview-that they found excellent prospects for trade with Japan, Korea and the Philippines but emphasised that trade must be on the basis of mutual advantage.

manager of the Seattle Chamber's late to remedy, that, a world trade department, said.

Chamber's tour, added that trade flation. in the game with communism in a "two way lane of traffic and we

Both advocated United States 5. Roving Ambassador help for non-competing industries Philip Jessup, after a tour of the in Far Eastern countries. They Far East, will bring the latest said all the three nations visited since their trip began on January 15 are rich in possibilities for such non-competing trade

> Levy said, "People, out here Singapore, Rangoon, want help-not charity. There is opportunities and show them how to make most of them. They need

#### Must be limited

-Story-listed sea foods,. hardwood, pearls and objects of Japanese culture as the best possibilities for sale in the American North West, He and Levy recognised that Japanese imports must be limited for some time to essential goods.

"Japan must be put on a sustaining basis," Levy said.

He said that the Japanese are more free now than ever in history and that future relations' educated to the modern Western trend of thought.

Levy said the Japanese have only one fear-that they will lose General MacArthur.

that the Japanese yen would be stabilised in relation to the dollar by March 30.

They said they gained this impression from officials General MacArthur's Head-Levy said Korea offers tre-

mendous prospects for external trade although in some respects it is competing with Japan for foreign markets. He pointed out that Korea Is

already\_showing\_great\_progress\_in.

the production of textiles, sea foods, rice, hard coal and furs. He sald that lack of shipping and political division are the big

#### Temporary halt

Levy thought that the Philippines has nothing to worry about in the long run because of its natural wealth and productive potential. Levy said, "Britain, with its 50,000,000 is in a pitiful state compared to the Philippines

with its: 19,000,000." The visitors thought that the United States in some respects missed the boat in failing to give Press.

We cannot continue to sell to the Philippines sufficient help tothese countries unless we also ward rebuilding its productive

They opined that one of the Sol G. Levy, chairman of the philippines' biggest threats is in-

> Story predicted that Scalue would get a much bigger share of the Philippine chipping trade in the future even though San Francisco port would continue to get the biggest portion.

The Scattle delegation is leaving on Wednesday for Honolulu where they will spend several days before returning home on February 15,-United

#### Chinese to be deported trom P.I.

Manila, February 6. four who were convicted of spreading Communist propaganda in Batangas Province schools, are to be deported to Taipeh, Taiwan, today, the "Manila Bulletin" said.

The Government refused to coafirm a "Bulletin" story which guoted Intelligence sources of the Philippines armed forces as saying the Chinese would be put on board a Nationalist plane for Talwan because other Chinese ports are closed.

erimes ranging from aiding the Prime Minister. illegal entry of other Chinese, to

authorities are debating a plan would oppose M. to force the registration of all Cabinet in Parliament. allens in the Islands in an effort without passports or with illegal- resolution said. ly issued papers. — Associated

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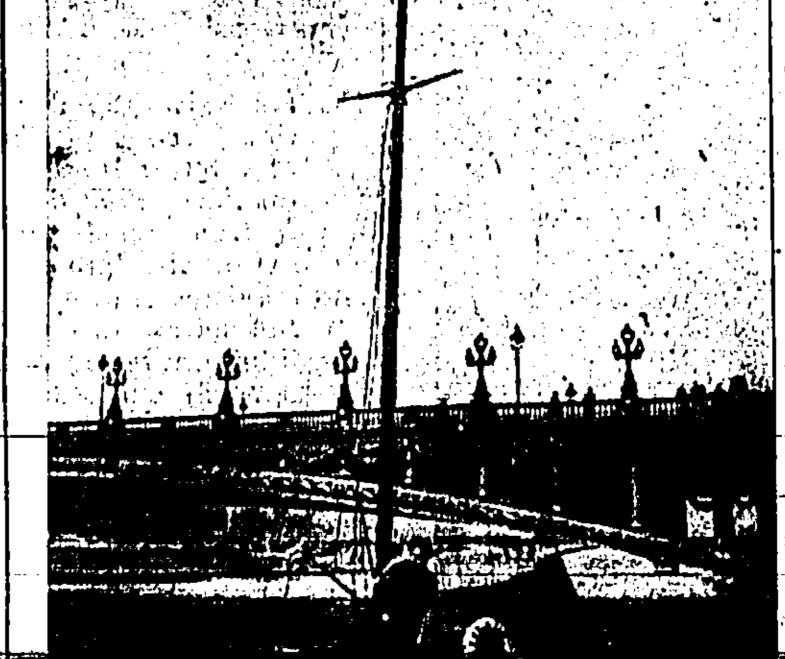
Manila, February 6. Six hundred persons were homeless after fire rage through the Eastern section of Cabanatuan, capital of Nueva Ecija province, for several hours last night.

Story and Levy both said | Shortly after the blaze started that Philippine Import and at 7 p.m., residents of other parts exchange controls have brought of the city were thrown into a the Philippine' trade to a tem- panic when a large quantity of porary halt but agreed that small arms aminunition in auch conrols are necessary and Constabulary warehouse began should be encouraged for the exploding. Many feared that benefit of the nation's economy. Hukbalahaps, who roam the hills just outside the city, were mak-

No injuries were reported.

Firemen said the flames ap- offered the Ministry of the Inparently started in a small house terior to M. Queuille who is hold- owner who had been reported with a thatched roof and spread ing the post of Deputy Premier | recently to have taken on a Gerrapidly. More than 100 homes in the present Government. were destroyed. There was no M. Queuille has not yet replied W. Rickett, a financier whose estimate of damage. Associated to the invitation, it was stated, ketch, Sylvin, is lying off Ham-

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Marcel Bardlaux, a 39-year-old Frenchman from Clermont Ferrand, Intende to leave Paris in a 30-foot salling boat which he built himself and will tall alone round the world. His route, which will take him round both Cape Horn and the Cape of Good Hope, will cover 75,000 miles and he expects the voyage to last three years. Photo shows Marcel Bardlaux with his little craft "Quatre Vents" (the Four Winds), on the Seine below the Alexandre III Bridge in Paris - (AP Photo).

### Bidault due to vacancies

Paris, February 5. Eighteen Chinese, including The Prime Minister, M. Georges Bidault, reshuffling his Cabinet after the resignation of five Socialist Ministers on Friday, said tonight he hoped to fill the vacant posts tomorrow.

Informed quarters here said that M. Bidault was planning to replace the Socialists by members of his own Party, the Popular Republicans, and Radicals. He has no intention of asking Right-wing parties to join the new Cabinet, these sources said.

The Executive and Parliamen-The Chamber's leaders thought | murder. Their sentences includes | tary group of the Socialist Party tonight reaffirmed that their absence from the Government dld Philippines civil and military not necessarily mean that they

> "The Socialists do not intend to discover illegal entrance, par- to give up the battle which they ticularly Chinese who are known have led together with all Reto have landed in large numbers publicans and the Democrats", a

"We do not belong to those who desert the battlefield in difficult moments."

#### Success seen

-After the meeting with M. Bidault, M. Queuille told reporters that he was convinced that the French Premier would succeed.

Radical support is indisponsable to the proposed Centre-Right combination which will face the test of a vote of confidence in the National Assembly on Tuesday.

Radical aid is a bill re-establishing free collective bargaining over you could wait for the splash," wages. The Radicals object to it as virtually authorising political to get a British crew because all

The Communists and Socialists support the bill.

The Socialists withdrew from M. Bidault's 14-week-old Coalition after disagreement over the scope of a bonus to be paid to low wage carners and intended to tide them over until the bill was

passed. today well-informed sources said that M. Bidault has and had a factory in view.

These sources added that M. ble, Hampshire.—Reuter.

... WITH THE WORLD-FAMOUS

Bolo importers:

M. Bidault had a 90-minute dis- f Bidault is intending to divide the cussion earlier today with M. five vacant posts between three Another 14 were convicted of Henri Queuille, former Radical members of the Popular Republican movement and two Radicals.—Reuter.

### Yacht with German crew England

Southampton, February 5. yacht, My Evangeline, whose other three,—Associated Press. owner paid off his British crew in Bremerhaven and hired 11 Germans, arrived at Southampton today to prepare for a voyage to Malta and the West Indies.

The owner, Mr. Frederick Sydney Cotton, aged 54, described as a company director, visited the yacht when she arrived and told newspapermen: "This German crew really works and are no trouble at all. There is wonderful discipline among them. The chief difficulty in enlisting If you told one to jump overboard at seven in the morning

Mr. Cotton said he did not try the best scamen were engaged. He said that there were two former U-boat commanders

among the crew but refused to divulge their names. "I do not want them pestered," he said "The war is over and we should not blame all the Germans." After cruising in the Medilerrancan Mr. Cotton will go to the West Indies, where he said he hoped to complete some business

. He is the second British yacht man crew. The other is Mr. R.

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### Churchill takes the back seat

Leeds, February 5.
Mr. Winston Churchill's visit barely made a defit into this city's current rage-football.

The leader of the Conservative Party and the Labour Government's Deputy Prime Minister Herbert Morrison picked a difficult time to make their campaign appeals here for the February 23

Mr. Churchill's speech on Saturday drew about 7,000 inside and outside the Town Hall in Victoria Square.

A football game of Leeds United team, at the same time, was watched by at least three times that many. The Leeds United ilrat team was away from heme penting Coventry 4 to 0. Lagging all season, it has recently come to life and aroused rabid response of the town's sportsmen.

In the pubs and clubs, fans replayed the games on Sunday. Mr. Churchill and Mr. Morrison were vague figures.

"The election, that's days awayyet," said one lanky Yorkshiremun as he lifted his tankard.

"But next Wednesday, our team gets another crack at the Cup Tie.

#### No audience

Mr. Morrison made the Labour Party's first speech of a broadcast series from a studio without an audience here on Saturday night. He is speaking three times today and has moré speaking dates for Monday at Labour Party meetings in this district.

It is difficult to tell just what Impact Mr. Churchill's and Morrison's visits have had.

Political observers here believe a majority of the people already have made up their mind how they will east their ballot. And for that reason, they say politics is not a lively topic of general discussion.

Most of the undecideds appeared to be of the middle class.

"Most of us are Liberals slightly to the left at heart," one of them said, "but we are beginning to wonder what eventually will happen to us."

Leeds had five Labour and one Conservative MPs in the last Parliament. Under redistribution, the city gets one more seat. the seven seats at stake in this election, local politicians say two appear safe for the Conservatives The 230-ton British motor and two safe for Labour with the only contest being in the

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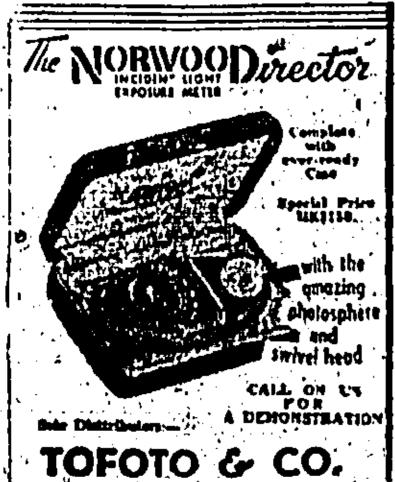
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the camp at Bagnoll, Italy, conducted by the International



certed and damaging public opposition. President Truman has encountered none of the bitter, widespread antagonism that President Wilson met when he tried to get this country into the League of Nations, yet his involvement in foreign affairs is far more extensive than Wilson's—at a time when many persons in this country have strong feelings on foreign policy, largely a result of the U.S.'s becoming a world power and abandoning its traditional isolationism.

The secret is that the professional diplomats have learned they cannot accomplish unything unless they have the people behind them. They have develop- sentatives of various segments of ed since 1945 an elaborate system for learning what the public is may not be foreign policy ex-thinking, and for telling key peoperls. The latter include leaders ple outside the department confidentially what the diplomats veteran or fraternal organisations, know and plan. fare and the professions.

A major element in the system is a series of off-the-record conferences in Washington throughout the country. press is told nothing about them unless it asks. Then only names of the conferees and th theme of the conference is dis-closed. The idea is to keep it all strictly confidential so that both the State Department men the outside citizens can freely.

#### Secret meetings

Some of the most prominent men and women in the nation slip quietly into Washington every week or .10 days for a gathering with State Department officials that lasts two or three days. Sometimes the State Department sends its officlais out for similar conferences in different parts of the country.

Each enference has a special subject, such as China, the North Atlantic Pact, the atomic energy programme, military assistance or aid to underdeveloped countries Usually 35 to 70 persons attend. Twice a year there is a large general conference on the whole foreign policy field, and this is attended by about 235 persons.

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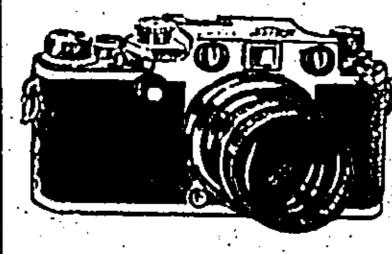
Rome, February 5.
The Italian film director, Roberto Rossellini, said today that he and actress Ingrid Hergman received about 5,000 congratulatory telegrams and messages since the birth of their son on Thursday night

Rossellini said the "mostages have temperarily in Rossbong. Ask for of them were from people we did not know."

Rossellini was the Sunday morning visitor at the Villa Margherita clinic where Miss (A) Justine Bergman is contined. Hospital Funk Book, 3 would be bergman and 6.4 and 12.) Date of the late o

The Department invites two types of persons: experts on foreign policy-usually university people and writers; and reprethe population, and who may or in industry, labour, religion, business, publishing, social wel-

The conferences are of two types: (1) where the Department officials just sit and listen and let the suesis do all the talking, unless the guests ask questions; (2) where the Department careerists do most of the talking and then cit in on panel discussions among the guests. The latter type of conference is held when a new policy is being formulated or a new study being completed.—Associated Press.



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### Alleged attempt to halt pro-Franco trend in U.S.

Madrid. February 5. The Falangist (Spanish Fascist) newspaper "Arriba," today published the alleged facsimile of a letter from the Spanish Socialist leader, Indalecio Prieto, appealing to M. Leon Blum, veteran French Socialist, for a personal effort to halt the "pro-Franco" trend in Washington. The publication of the alleged 80-page, confidential letter, crammed with spicy gossip and

intimate references regarding the efforts of Spanish exiles to overthrow General Franco, was regarded by some observers as an attempt to discredit Don Juan, the Spanish Pretender, by "revealing" a close connection with Spanish exiled Socialists. "Arriba" did not explain how the tice himself is certain that Lon-

alleged letter gaid that London American. continue its attempt to intinck the economy" of the

Franco regime, and added, "I am very grateful for all; that the British Labour Party has tried to do, and recently their efforts have favoured us including those of the branches of their intelligence services.

"But it is Washington which interests us from the point of view of victory. And in Washington the influence of British Labour Party and particularly of Mr. Bevin is declining ouickly.

letter, dated November 23, 1949, don can count on him because came into its possession. . The 'he is almost as British as he is

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without any need for the 'almost'. Bevin confirmed this to me and this is due to the fact that the Acheson family was originally British and not very long ago."

Prieto also said in the alleged letter that the help they were getting from the Spanish monar- it was reported today. It placed chists was important for the in- the shocks at a distance of about fluence they wielded rather than 9,000 miles from New York "Of course, Dean Acheson is their numbers. But, he added, probably in the Dutch East In- quake" that would be destruc-still in his post and Premier At- intest information from Estoril— dies. It was said that the re- tive at the scene.—United Press.

the residence in Portugal of Don Juan-was that Spanish aristocrats had sent "pessimistic reports" on support for a restoration among leaders of Spanish church, industry, banks, universities and judiciary.

Prieto said that American military men were mainly responsible for the change in American opinion towards Spain and refererd to a section of the Amucan cotton trade as yielding pro-Franco influence. The letter caused much

troversy in the Spanish, capital today. Many doubted authenticity while others claimed they recognised in its racy and salty comment a characteristic of Pricto.

"Arriba" said, "The letter shows that certain alleged Monarchists are now arm in arm with Pricto, who was the man who led the campulga of calumny and insult XIII."-Reuter.

### AT FORDHAM

New York, February 5. Two "very severe" shocks were recorded on Fordham University's seismograph on Saturday night

### Yugoslav Press objects to

Belgrade, February Yugoslavia's official Press today necused the Vatican, "Time" magazine, the "Chicago Tribune" and the Hearst newspapers of conducting a co-ordinated campaign against Yugoslavia on charges of anti-Catholic persecu-

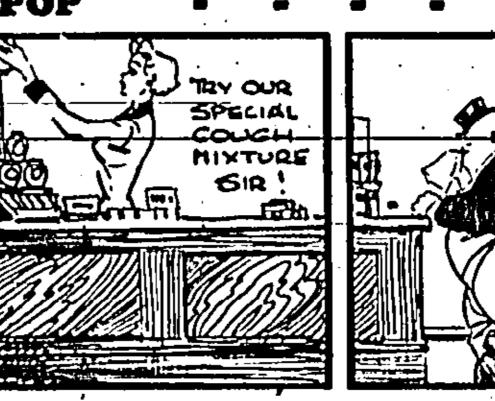
The newspaper "Borba," voice of Tito's Government, denounced in purticular an article written by "Time's" chief Paris correspondent, Andre Laguerre, after an 18-day visit to Belgrade in which he reviewed conditions in Yugo-

According to Borbn, Laguerre wrote, "The Church is persecuted. The Catholic Church is subjected to most dreadful torror. Thousands of priests are arrested and subjected to terror and forced to confess."

The Yugoslav nelyspaper said that Laguerre's report does "not tieserve serious attention because we knew when he came to Belgrade, how and what he was going to write' and that he came here with a "more or less finished 'article dictated by his chief," "Time" Editor Henry Luce .- Associated Press.

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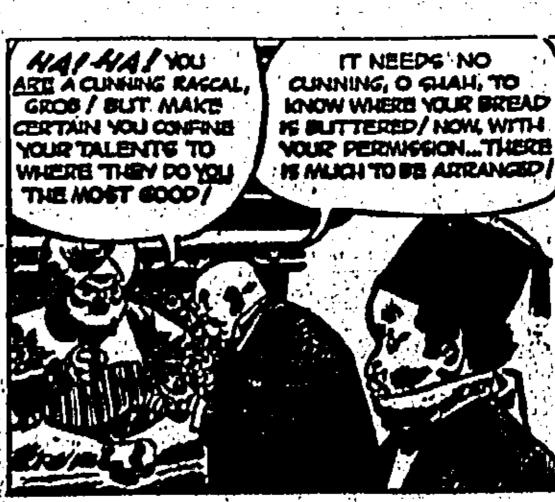




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7,50-'Stage and Screen Favourites"-Presented 8.00-"From the Eillorinis." (London 8.10-"Hox 200"--Rert Gillette at

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Rev Father T. P. Ryan. B. J. 0.30-Bonata in A Major-Caesar Franck Jascha Halfola. 10.16-Weather Report.

10.16-"Time For Music"-BBC Midland Light Orchestra. (BBCTS) 10.45-Dance To Joe Loss and His Or 11.15-Weather Report, World News and Home News from Britain. (Londan Relay Recorded) God' Save the King. 11,10—Close Down.

24. Radlo Hong Kong will open at a.m. to relay BBC News Bulletins and Dal also to provide detailed results obtained from Reuter's of the General Election. Relays from the BBC will come at 7a.m., there will be a light musical programme ditional information is received

There still are no signs of any settlement that will bring the Russians back, but U.N. officials have learned not to overlook the possibility

The new boycott is expected to jed she was extending diplomatic all the 18-nation Economic and recognition to the former Dutch Social Council, which opens its East Indies. The Western counwinter session on Tuesday. UN tries say, they are ready to admit officials will be watching the Indonesia immediately. meeting closely for any hint of a Soviet reversal of policy

the Economic and Social Council will not take part in any UN The Chinese Communist regime bodies that let Chinese National. laid the foundation for a walkout ist representatives sit in memiliast Friday by naming a delegate bers. They have boycotted all 11 to the Council. This was the same UN organs that have met so far procedure followed in the Secuthis year with Nationalist Chinese rity Council before Russia walk-

present, ed out on January 13. Two other meetings on Tuesday also are being watched for Mr. Lie that its delegation will developments bearing on the stalemate. These are the year- and Social Council's work as long around Little Assembly meeting as the Chinese Nationalists reand the Security Council, main. Russia cancelled steamship

New attack ready Nationalist China's chief de. and Social experts who had planlegate, Dr. T. F. Tslang, will be ned to come here for the session on Russia in the Little Assemb. Join in the boycott. ly if that body agrees to go ahead with debate on Dr. Tsiang's charges of Russian aggression. Some delegates, however, want to postpone discussion if possible. Russia has boycotted the Little Assembly since its creation two years

Russia also is boycotting the 11-nation Security Council, which is to take up the old India-Pakistun dispute over possession of the princely state of Kashmir. UN Secretary General Trygve

Lie has been trying to find a for-(Pinno) mula that might bring the Russians back without loss of face. 10,00-Radio News Root, (London Relay) He declined to say whether his efforts have made any headway. There was some speculation that the Russians might return to the Security Council either on Tuesday or at a later meeting with a demand that Moscowtrained Ho Chi Minh's anti-French regime in Indo-China be admitted to UN membership.

This, however, was wholly without confirmation. Russia and GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS Red China both recognise Ho as On the murning of Friday, February the rival French-sponsored gov-

this week is a move by the new live cycle racer himself in the United States of Indonesia for early thirties, warmly advocated admission to the UN. The path Germany's re-admission into the be interrupted whenever ad for such action was cleared a International Cycle Sports Federaweek ago when Russia announc- tion (UCI) as this move un-

BY S.K. LEE

Lesson 19

Vocabulary: 102. (san) - sun(1) t 103. (kau). (3)gau 104. (nln) · (1)neen 105. (uet) (3)yucl (3)yut (3)hoh 107. (ho)

Combinations: 1. Yut(1) (1) neen. 2. (1) Neen (1) neen. Sun(1) (1)neen. 4. Gaw(3)-gaw(3) (3) yuot. 5. Saam(1)-gaw(1) (3) yuet. Saam(1) (3) yuct. 7. (2)Shup-(3)yee (3)yuct. B. Yut(1) (3) yut... D. (3) Yut (3) yut.

10. Gay(2)-daw(1) (3)hoh. 11. Tsut(1) - (3) hoh.

General Expressions: 17. Gum(1) (1) neep. 18. (3)Gau (1)neen. 19. Choot(1) (1)ncen. 20. Neo(1)-gaw(3) (3) yuet.

21. Seen(1)-gaw(3) (3) yuct. 22. (3)Dal - (3)yee (3) yuet. 23. Gum(1) (3) yut. 24. (3)Dzok (3)yut. 25. Ting(1) (3) yut.

26. Foon(1) hay(2). 27. Faaye(3) (3)lok. -28. Goong(1) - hay(2) (1)tsoy. Practice:

· 1. Yut(1) (3)shup (3)yuet

deem(2)-joong(1). 4. Yut(1) deem(2) - joong(1) An hour has sixty minutes. (2) yau (3) look - (5) shup fun(1)-joong(1).

Questions and Answers: 1. Q. Gum(1)-(1)neen (3)hai. What year is this? mec(1) - (2)ych (1)neen
ah(3)?
2. A. Gum(1)-(1)neen (8)hai This year is 1950. yut(1) = gau(2) = (2) og-(1)ling (1)ncen.

4. A. Neo(1) - gaw(3) (3) bal This is February.

0. A. Clum(1) - (3) yut: (3) hal. To-day is the 7th of teut(1) (3) hoh: yut(1) . Sebrianty, 1950: (2) hau(2) - (3) hal. (1) ling . (2) hall (2) hall (3) hall (3) hall (3) hall (4) hall (5) hall (5) hall (6) hall (6) hall (6) hall (7) hall (7) hall (7) hall (7) hall (8) hall (7) hall (8) hall (7) hall (8) hall (7) hall (8) hal

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(2) yau A day has twenty-four hours

(8) yee-(3) yuet.

3. Q. Gum(1) - (3) yut (3) hal. What day is today?...

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8.30-Rediffusion Request Show. 9.00-B.B.C. News. 9.10-Local News. 9.15-Vincent Lopes, rity Council before Russia walk-0.30-"Free For All." 10,00—Anno Ziegier & Websier Booth. 10.15-Special Feature Programma. Poland already has informed 11.15-Planlet

reservations, for her Economic cll's 18 members already have recognised Mao Tsb-tung's Red China, there appears to be little ready to deliver a new attack | Czechoslovakia is expected to chance that the Council will oust the Chinese Nationalists at this

8.15-Sammy Kays and His Orchestra.

### German cycle racing

Although seven of the Coun-Itime,-Associated Press.

Frankfurt, February 5.

11.45-Biardust.

12.00—Close Down.

leading German sports official said today that this country's cycle racing has been thrown back more than 10 years as a result of the -war and-predicted-that\_it\_may\_take\_three\_or\_ more years before German racers have caught up with international peak standards.

Heini Kohlenberger, chairman of the Hesse cycle sports federation, told the United Press that "we are 10 years behind the other countries due to the war losses, and it may take three or four years until we will have made up these losses." He added that presently only "one man belongs to the list of the world's best

cycle racers, Walter Lehmann." Lehmann, who won the motor-| place. Besides Schaefer there are paced cycle racing world cham- a few other talented amateurs ruler of Indo-China and oppose plouship 12 years ago in Copen- such as Willi Trost and Willi hagen, despite his 38 years still Schaettel who, given hard trainernment of former Emperor Bao belongs to the international ing, may edge their way up to motor-paced cycle racing elite. Another possible development Kohlenberger, who was an ac- sprinters.

- i doubtedly, would, improve the standard of German riders, wi then would have a chance to competo abroad, he stressed. He was satisfied, however, with last March's UCI decision, allowing foreign racers to compete in Germany. "This already meant a wide step forward and we were

glad to have had numerous for-

eign racers here and we are ex-

pecting even more next year," he Rohlenberger expressed the p.m. on Saturday night, Miss full-fiedded UCI member next year. "We need to go abroad, as our boys were isolated too many years from the outside world," the black-haired sports official said It must be recalled that even before the war German cycle racers did not appear very often on foreign racing tracks, as a result of the Nazi policy, which preferred to have foreigners in Germany to

encouraging Germans to go Grim picture

Konlenberger painted a grim picture of the present standard of German sprinters. "Here the altuation, is hopeless for the time being," he said, and added that the country at present has only two good sprinters, Voggenreiter and Bunzel.

There are, however, a few talented newcomers in amateur comp, and he rated 19year-old Willi Schnefer as one of the "coming stars." Schnefer in September last year at an international 4,000-metre pursuit race in honours and pushed the Swiss the Army and that he had an ex-champion Heini Mueller to second cellent record.

(Continued on Page 14)

Geary John McMullan, aged 22, of the 42 Light A/A Battery, Cape Collinson, was sentenced to one month imprisonment by Mr. A. D. Scholes at Central yesterday after he pleaded guilty to a charge of receiving stolen property. Defendant was acquitted on a charge of larceny by finding. Denis Victor, Manager of the Lide Dance Hall said that lat 9

Alice Lee, dance hostess made a report to him that she had lost her handbag. Accused was seen to leave the dance hall and he followed him. Defendant was seen walking and he asked a police constable to stop him. On hearing this, accused together with another man,

He chased defendant and caught him near the Kam Loon Restaurant. Defendant was asked whether he had a handbag and defendant then produced a wallet containing dance tickets and an American dollar, together with various articles.

The party, then went back to the Dance Hall and the handbag was found in the men's toilet. Victor said that he telephoned for the police and a European Inspector arrived and the party went to the police station.

Accused said that he had received the aproperty; but denied stealing the handbag. He said that he was drunk and did not know what he was doing.

Licutenant Watkins, an officer of accused, testified that he had known accused for six months in



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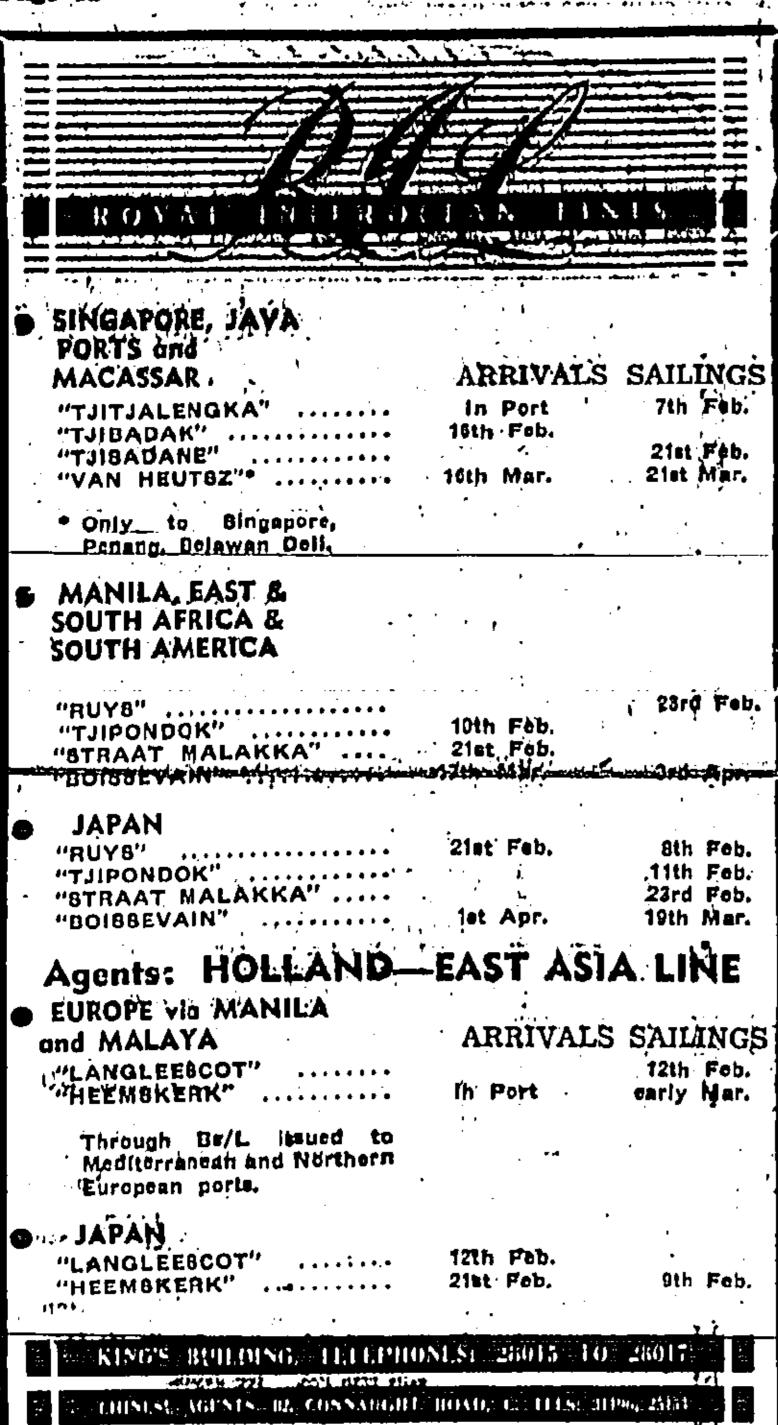
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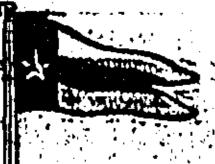
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US dollars opened yesterday o \$6.45%, closed at \$0,41%, TT was mut through from HK\$0.48 to \$6.49. Sierling went, up to HK\$1533 after opening 94 \$15.30 com Australian pounds were station-Plastrer were unchapted last week at HR\$12.05 a

#### Business and industry lost ground during the past week to steadily worsening labour conditions and growing coal shortages. Industrial production dipped for the second week in a row. It gave no cause for alarm at this

time. But it did involve a larger number of firms and businesses than in the preceding week, and tended to upset time tables all along the business front.

#### erease in unemployment which translated itself, quickly into slower retail trade and a lower Kestri volume of new orders. Highly un-favourable weather in many areas contributed to the business In addition to the coal mines i inhour dispute, there were dozens

There was another sharp in-

Overall business conditions in

January were highly satisfactory

bad weather and steadily dwind-

January features

the usual semional iletdown:

A car output slumped to 127.

year ago it was making 102,981;

was a little smaller - the past

\$100,683,000 compared with \$216,-

high since the summer of 1946,(It continued high and added more

-Associated Press.

week, contracts adding up ito

415 units in the United

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ling coal piles,

important centres.

Dritain of strikes or other manifestations of unrest in such diverse lines Houston, February 5! as mushroom canning, electric appliances, public utilities, tug-Great Britain may find that fact that the lack of an overall boating, farm machinery, ship her restrictions against building, sleet making and trucking. Trouble also lurked in the American oil companies affect vast telephone communications hor own Economic Co-operasystem of the American Tele-tion Administration pocket

New York, February 4

book Oilmen and Congressmen want to know how much of Britain's despite the recurring spells of ECA money is being used to expand, her own oil industry; Features of the January bust suspect.

transactions at acasonal mer- to nak Congress shortly for Press chandles shows, particularly US\$3,000,100,000 for the recovery furniture shows at Chicago and programme.

New York, heavy televislow In December British officials sales and extraordinary interest ordered to ban on all fuel oil im- NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES in motor car shows. The build- ports from American complinies ing industry, has thrived and a 13-per cent reduction in throughout the Winter without petrol imports: The order became (effective) on The coal shortage thus far has January 1. falled to affect production in the

a large amount of the nation's ments. steel is produced, to any great. The announcements explained and expense into the godowns extent But it has forced some it was desired that such oil from what lower operations in other by surplus British reserves os they become available. Ameti-can olimen do not like to think of and Canada as a result of the Britain cutting off a large portion Chrysler shutdown. Last week of their overseas market and then using American ECA money to output totalled 141,036, units, a ald in roblecing the market with her own petroleum reserves-Hoavy engineering construction Associated Press.

400,000 the preceding week and Profit fish average prices realised at \$209,703,000 a year ago. How/ ever, this division of the building | Kennedy Town, yesterday with First quality Average the survey. industry has a big backlog and is expected to got into full swing ! within the next few weeks-if-the-

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ay and quickly establishing, a	Golden Thread 1.28	1.15
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-Associated Press.	ATTENT ARTHUR TO THE PARTY OF T	11

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#### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES HK TRADE WITH JAPAN ISBRANDTSEN STEAMSHIP

The year 1040 ended with t slight credit to Hong Kong in the s.s. "FLYING INDEPENDENT" Hong Kong-Japan open account, it was officially lannounced yes-

The trade during the 12 months From U.S.A. via Ports & Sucz Was about US\$40,000,900. There was a balance of trade of about US\$2,300,000; in Japan's favour for , the 12, months. this was offset ", by a reredit of mearly . US\$3.000,000 in Hong Bong's favour carried over from

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Mr. Cammings is regional representative of Norris E. Dodd. Director General for Asia and the Far East of the Food and Agriculture Organisation of the UN and Executive Secretary of the International Rice Commiswhich opens its second annual conference on Monday.

a world food census is taken, it will not be possible to apprulse rully the food situation. He said nobody would know whether the world faces a famine threat until the census is held. Mr. Cummings deplored the

dietary survey in Far Eastern countries made difficult the task of assessing Asia's need. Delegates to the conference

will be welcomed by the newly appointed Burmese Agriculture Minister, Bo Khin Maung Gale.

After hearing reports by deleuntion heads, the South East Asia Several Benators have indicated Nutritions Committee and Rice heavy slashings of United States growers, the conference will European Recovery Punds will be break into groups to discuss the in order if they confirm what they problems facing the Far Eastern countries in the development of ness were the large-volume of The Administration is expected if o on production - Associated

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ex-Kobe Yunan (l) & B) Deltich 1631 tons ex-Keelung ..... B.15 TODAY

Cleo (Loxley) + x-Atlaintic Const. Religion (if at 3) ex-Recling. TOMORROW Hangiang Scharding), ex-Sandakan.

Pacific Transport (Inrdine) ex-Puelfic

Bomall (Mne Mne; Beltich 4389 tons

Pakhol (II & B) ex-Robe. Plgneau Do Behhino (MM) ex-Hai-Bangola (Mac Mac) ex-Japan. Wingsang (Jardine) ex-Keelung.

#### Shipping Departures YESTERDAY

American Transport (Jardine) . fut Manilu. Chartine Macrak (Jehsen) for Munila Choc (Dodwell) for Yokkuicho. Uni Meng (Thorseen) for Keelung Hellion (We Fat Sing) for Salgon. Jeep Hee (Jebshon) for Amoy. Munerator Castle (Mollers) for Kobe. Norlands (Pattison) for Dairen,

San Rafael (Manners) for Haiphons. Williamette Victory (APL) for Manile TODAY · Caltex II (Caltex) for Macau. Charles E Dant (Dodwell) for Kobe. Erinna (B & S) for Miri. Fort Stanwalz (Texas) for Behrein. Louise Motter (Mottern) for Hollo,

Somuli (Mac Mac) for Europe, Tlitjalengka (RIL) for Java Ports. TOMORROW Javanese Prince (Jardine) for Suigon Pacific Tramport (Jardine) for Pacific Const. -Planeer Bay (USL) for Atlantic Coas

Pioneer Dale (UBL) for Manila.

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Sinking (II & B) for Jupan.

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12 Idaho (Dodwell). 15 Tudor (Dodwell). 15 Pris. Mekinley (APL) for Yruco. "If "Great Republic (USL) or Frisco 24 Julia Luckchenbark (UBL) for 22 Philippine Transport (Jardins). 26 Oregon (Dodwell). 26 Pres, Cleveland (APL) for Prison.

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10 Sangola (Mac Mac) (for Calcutta. 15 Landaura (Mac Mac) for Bombay. JAPAN

February. 7 Sinklang (B & S). s Rus (RIL). 10 Harmellh (Thorseen) for Kobe. 10 Heemskerk (RIL). 13 Kyber (Mac Mac).

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March 1997 March 1997 And 1997 1 Hermod (Thoregen) for Kobo 19 Bolasevaln (RIL) End Nellore (Mac Mac). .... PORTS Tebruser Dale (USL) for Manila,

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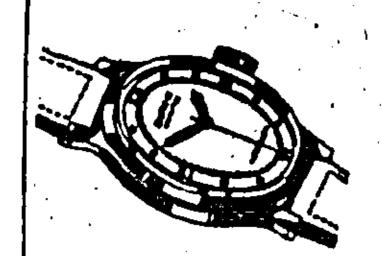


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HONG KONG, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1950.



### Aussies shine in Empire Games

Capture four out of five rowing events

Auckland, February 6. Australia again dominated the Empire Games rowing events today winning four of the five, rowing stroke for stroke with the New Zealand crew over the last tour hundred metres.

They won by a foot in six minutes and 27 seconds. England's eight, short of practice due to the late arrival of their boat, were three lengths away, third and last.

### RUGBY MATCH REVIEWED

(By JAMES BOYD)

At Sookunpoo in the last game of the Rugby Tournascoring a try, was a fair resuit to a game which, scrappy at times, was always

interesting and exciting. Both sides had their chances, but Club had by far the greater part of the play and for three parts of the second halt were encamped about the Army

were at their best, for resolute kliometres road cycle race, won tackling they kept the Club out, by H. Sutherland of Australia In although be it admitted that Club, three hours, '13 minutes and 8.4 apart from one or two thrusts by seconds. The race was a triumph Nolan, did not appear to have the for the sprinting ability of the necessary guile or skill to beat Australian riders at the end of Colony and now has a followgood tackling.

Club were handleapped by J. | Entering the final lap, the Bri-Henderson's poor service to Nolan. | 418h riders, M. Campbell and A His delivery was often short, due Newman were in the lead, but to the fact that only one hand were beaten at the run in by does the work when he passes, Consequently, Nobal was slowed up and had not enough room to elude the Army wing-forwards or i get into his stride, so that D. Henderson and Turville, who, incidentally, seems to have lost! some of his confidence, were bottled up before they could get

#### One real chance

and De Rome performed ade- cord in winning the bantamweight of the spectators who labelled the the winner was David Kwok, quately, but the ball did not run division of the Empire Game as too slow and "cissy" and present Secretary of the Associa-Stewart's way and he got only weight lifting contests today. one real chance to show his paces. When he found that he could not had a lift of 210 pounds but this barge through Gower, De Rome's although counting in his total sole gambit appeared to be a short will not be recognised as an Emkick ahead, of little use against so pire record because only two of sound a full-back as Smyth. Into the three judges agreed, but an the bargain he riled the crowd by other press of 200 pounds will be what they evidently considered recognised. His previous record two pieces of unnecessarily rough | was 196 and a half pounds. play. Lachlan had a grand game! at full-back, for even though hel was inclined to kick across the ball, and hook it or slice it, hig. handling was first-class. He was never out of position, and he very courageously stopped several Army fast rushes. One wonders whether Nolan did not make a tactical error in not changing him with J. Honderson, as he is a useful scrum-half, and Henderson's ability at full-back is well

the scrums, looked penetrative pounds. and made ground whenever they Thong Sak, Pak of Malaya went got the ball. In contrast to the Club, Goldschmidt, who had a win for Malaya in the Empire some of the KCC team members. plenty of room with long smooth ing. He was unlucky to be up ton lingle Champion A. G. Melse passes and Wilson played well against an Englishman, James arrived in Hong Kong and M. A.

McNub and Spiller played well semewhere in the region of at 735 pounds.—Reuter. McNab's feet. Brown was unimaminutive but competent, and Gower was the best three-quarter on the field. He brought De Rome down time after time when Club were attacking, before the latter could get moving, and he stopped soveral attempts by J

The forwards

scrums. batiled hard oil the way, with backs plents of more tunity. Rapsoy and Bradley scrummaglor Herling was somotime aluggish. Loubles Leagues came into existant and working like Trojana, pin they fulfilled their task of lance.

The Australian Olympic sculling champion, Meryyn Wood, Won the Singles Scull in sever minutes and 46.9 seconds, beat-Ing Anthony Rows of England by two and a half lengths. Later. Wood paired with M Riley, to win the Double Sculing for Australia in seven minutes and 22 seconds, beating the New Zealand pair by four

Australia's fourth success was in the coxswainles pairs, J Webster and W. Lambert beating ment the Army were hosts to the New Zealanders, the Goulds the Club, and a draw each side by four lengths in eight minutes and ten seconds.

New Zealand won the other event-the fours with cox-heati ing Australia by two lengths in seven minutes and 24 seconds. All events were over a straight ing fraternity has not heard of bles "E". Division, the Mixed 2,000 metres course.

#### Road cycle race

In Auckland, an estimated It was at this time that Army country roads to witness the 100 the gruelling 12 lap event.

three Australians and a New

in a great finish, Sutherland just held on to resist challenge of the New Zealand champion, T. .. Carter, J. Fowler of Australia was third. completed the course.

#### Weight lifting

Ho Fook-hung, of Malaya, beat In his press attempts, Hung

With a snatch of 195 pounds and a jerk of 250 pounds, Hung

won the event with a total of 055 Smith of Canada, with 180 for press, 100 for snatch and 245 for a lerk, was second with a total of \$15 pounds, and K. Caple of Australia, press 170, match 190 and lerk 240 for a total of 600 Badminton game was played bepounds, was third. Another Malayan, Koh

near recording a third successive Gray and A. E. P. Guest were good game, gave Wilson Games weight-lifting in the even- In 1938, the Shanghai Badminenough, his handling being very Halliday, who won with the Em- Olivejra and he played in an expire record total of 769 pounds; Thong with 210 pounds did five aroused great interest and in the defended heroically and pounds better than Halliday in following year an Interport (the dangerous in possession, the press but Halliday, had the Colony's only Badminton Inter-Spiller had one glorious cut- | Empire record snatch of 245 port) was arranged with Bangkok. through, but with McNab and pounds and the Empire record Gower outside him, and only jerk of \$10. Thoug's figures were Lachlin to beat, threw a past snatch 225 and jerk 300 for a fotal Oliveira in the Singles and Patrick clubs had developed a detailed

> pack all through and finished the Badminton enthusiasts were championship," This training profresher, and in Gregsoh, a con- given a treat in 1948 when they gramme, which already existed

was always looking for a gap, and about with such complete abanwas always looking for a gap, and don, but yet skilfully and purplished the most of his limited op- don, but yet skilfully and purplished that he players at kecreio and among portunities of the spring that he players at kecreio and among the correspond of the Swede in a kecreio and the Norwegian Bjoring. should have scored the all-imthose who took part were Low in team track races and in of France, and the Dutch team of The race started promptly at ahead of the Swede in a great sees and the Norwegian, Bjoern,
boriant try, Club were a soldier Kent-soo of the Hong Kong road competitions. Kohlenberghi Booren-Van Beek placed third. 7.00 p.m. GMT. Nils Tsepp, race. It is difficult to sum up the for- pack. They showed more concert- University and M. A. Oliveira of pointed out that team races ata words. In the main Club gained ed action and much more cohesion Club de Recreto. presession from about two-thirds that the Atmy, and scrummaged of the scrums and line-outs, and very well. All the forwards played also, more often in the loose well, and none better than Carrel, and their line out work was good This would appear to suggest They might perhaps have been to justify competition among that the Army pack, were well livblier, but they did get possesbestern, but they were that. They ston of the ball and gove their



Club de Recreio's Senior Mixed Doubles feam which won the League Championship in 1934 and 1935. They are (bitting left to right): Miss Mylthie Silva (Mrs. Gonsaives), Miss Olga Ribeiro (Mrs. Silva), Miss Cynthia Bilva (Mrs. Rodrigues); Standing: M. A. Ofiveira, L. A. Carvalho

Who among the local sport- propriately won the Men's Douhe was in his prime in the 1930's? Who has not heard of the meteor-like rise of the minton never lost the interest of 1930's, but how many of Hong Kong's sporting Elite remember certain events nearer home during 1932 which led to the "birth" of a new sport in the ing numbering thousands?

and J. J. Remedios.

During the late Autumn and finished. early Spring of 1932, two men visited various Clubs in the Colony and played exhibition games of "Shuttlecock" which is now called "Badminton"

The two pioneers of Hong Kong Badminton, which, after an in-Beven of the original 13 starters East, were Denis H. Hazeil, now Doubles. President of the Hong Kong Bad- P. K. Hui and Miss Ullan Khoo minton Association and Stewart unnexed the Mixed Doubles. A. Gray, last year's President. meant only for old men and young tion.

> .932, they won ever many converts among whom were M. A. ners. Oliveira, present Honorary Secretary of the Association, Ed.

Souza, Dick Alves, J. J. Remedies and L. A. Carvalho, With these sporting stalwarts expounding the good points of the pame, Badminton gained popularity, but as Denis Hazell puts it.

"It was all uphill pushing." The first Colony Inter-Club les and Doubles ... hibition Hong Kong was represented by Patrick H. Wong and M. A the series by four sets to two. average promise.

hock and Wong Peng-soon (who summer track exercises consist of in April of last year, the Geral of J.D. Clinch, he flung himself the world's best exponents of the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries, were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of man entries were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of the summer track exercises consist of man entries were beaten and the summer track exercises consist of the summer tr

> game had, won enough followers six-day roces," he said. various Clubs

China's Football "Idol" when | Doubles and the Ladies Doubles League titles that year.

"Brown Bomber" also in the Hong Kong's sporting group and the leagues flourished until the outbreak of the Pacific War in 1941 curtailed its continuation.

The various leagues were resumed in 1947. The Men's Doubles "C" Division Lengue and a Junior Mixed Doubles League were begun in 1941 but left un-The Junior Mixed Doubles was

resumed last year while the Men's "C" Division league started started again this year. · The first Colony Badminton Individual Championships were different start, caught on like a held in 1936 when Patrick II, house on fire among the young Wong won the Singles title and, and old of this entrepot of the partnering C. E. Ching, also the

In 1938, the Junior Singles Luck of suitable playing facili- Championship was included in On the wings both D. Stewart, his own British Empire press re- ties and the scorn and decision the Colony Championships and

girls were the main obstacles | The Junior Men's Doubles and which the two men had to over- the Ladies Doubles Championships\_were\_included\_in\_1940\_and, However after an exhibition A. L. Fisher and P. Wyntergame at the Club de Recreio in Blyth and Miss M. Silva and Miss Xavier were the respective win-

> Junior Mixed Doubles which was 6-4, 6-3 and 6-3,-Reuter: won by D. C. Lau partnered by Miss Helen 'Kwong. Yet another two events have

Eng Kowloon Cricket Club in 1933, besides a School Boys and Girls also taken by Norweglans. R. Tong, won the featherweight title which Recreio won. Unfortuna- Mixed Doubles Championships be Liakley was second with 201.478 with a total of 685 pounds, J. tely a complete list of the competed for this year but due points and S. Hauglie took third Creus of England was second with players who took part in the to a lack of entries-mainly be- place with 203.112 points. 670 pounds and B. Engeldrecht, first unofficial game cannot be cause the Schoolgirls are shy of L. A. Carvalho played for Re- cancelled at the last moment. tournaments.

#### Dr. Mackie wins Junior Galf Championship

Dr. J. B. Mackle won the Junior Championship for the second consecutive year when he defeated Mr. T. A. Butlar In the 36-hole final at Fanling on Sunday by 6 and 5. Mr. W. O. Davies (7) won this month's qualifying comgetition for the Captain's Cup

A. Duffy (14) who returned a card of 72 not also qualifies.

### BRIEF

Davos, Switzerland, February 5. Three British skaters swept through the International Figure Skating Championships women at Davos today, winning the first three places against 14 other competitors from England,

Switzerland, Belgium and Aus-Jennette Altwegg of Liverpool ing British champion, was Arst with 159.9 points. Barbara Wyatt was second with 152,3 points and Valda Osborne was third with 148.5 points.-Associated Press.

Budapest, February 5. F. Soos (Hungary) and Richard Bergmann (Britain) will contest the final of the Men's Singles Once started the game of Bad- event in the world table telinis champlonships here tonight. 'In the semi-finals Soos

Andreadis (Czecheslovakia) 41, 21-19, 20-22, 18-21, 21-14. Bergmann beat Sido (Hungary) 21-15, 21-18, 18-21, 25-23.--

Ostand, February 5. Judges at the Air France Cup skiing competition [here changed sion boxing championship which their decision after announcing carned him the rousing cheer of the winner of the women's combined downhill and slalom event Earlier the judges had announced Mile Edmee Abetel, of Switzerland, as the winner, with 4.71 penalty marks, and Mile Patricia de Surmont; of France, second

with 4.73 penalty marks. After a reconsideration of the penalties incurred, the officially corrected their decision and made Mile Surmont the winner with 4.53 marks and Mile Abetel second with 4.55 marks—

· Manila. February 5. Mrs. Weiss, of the Argentine, and Mrs. Moldero, of the Philippines, today won the ladies dou- Fly Weight Championship of the "Mac" likes to pass his valuable bles title in the Philippines Lawn | Eastern Command in the United ring experiences to his younger Tennis Championships here

bent Miss Ampon and Miss Manalac. of the Philippines, by 6-0 Open Bantam weight champion- Shorus, who is already donning Last year two more events and 6-1 in the final. In the men's ship. In 1949 in Singapore, "Mac" his pa's gloves. were added to the Championships doubles final, F. Ampon and C. -the Ladies Singles which was Carmona beat R. Deyro and Sanwon by Miss Ulian Khoo, and the chez, all of the Philippines, by

Helsinki, February 5. Winning three of the four been added to this year's Cham- events, Hlalmar Andersen, of The pionships—the Schoolboys Sing- | Norway, today took the European men's Speed-Skating Champion-It had been hoped that the ship with a total of 199.313 points. tween Club de Recreio and the Schoolgirle Singles and Doubles . Second and third places were

with a very limited service from South Africa, was third with 640 given but M. A. Oliveira, Dick showing their prowess with the in 46.1 seconds and the 5,000 Andersen won the 500 Metres Alves, J. J. Remodios, Ed. Souza, shuttle—the events had to be Metres in 8 mins. 32.4 sees, yesterday, and today he won the 1.-Let's hope they will pluck up 500 Metres in 2 mins. 24.4 sees, enough courage in the coming and was second in the 10,000 year ito compete in next year's Metres to Linkley, who won in

### 17 min. 55.5 secs.—Reuter.

the Doubles. Hong Kong won the youngsters are competing for day riders, were the sp-called "summer track many years from verted three-quarter, have a had the opportunity of seeing the before the war, was reinsugurated war six-day race hold in Munich wing-forward of more than Malayan Champions, Ooi Teck- in 1948, Kohlenberger said. The in April of last year, the Ger-

German

the prerequisites for coming six-In 1934 after two years the have had winning chances in

One competitor

He stated that the individual races, scheduled for Berlin and a start. few places in Western Germany. H. Wong and P. K. Hiu and J. training programme, starting each "We better walt and sec," he so for won a title at these Cham-J. Remedies M. A. Oliveira in year in April and May, in which said, adding that German sixsix-day competitors.

> There are, however, a few running first for Sweden, strode Stokken lost more ground on secs. good arnateur teams such and beautifully and for about 100 the homeward stretch and was Austrom disclosed that he felt day classics. Experience has Holzmann-Intra, Gensler-Spiegel, yards he was ahead of Heikki I min. 15 secs. behind the leaders four times during the second leg. shown that only good team riders who, after having gained exper). Hast, of Finland, in the lead. at the first handover, the Other positions and unofficial ency and furned professional. At the end of the first leg of The large Finnish conlingent in times at the end of 20 kilometres "should not make a bad show. 10 kilometres. (about 6-1/4 the crowd gave Hasu n big well were: (4) France (Forestier 1)

tormak werig's champion walk of Schrolber-Blerch, who won (Norway) 41 mins. 0.2 secs. | land) (2) Anstron (Sweden), (3) (Sweden), Kluri (Finland), and tee Lehmann at trees, is the seven world championship tiller. | Lindreds of cars were lam. Dahl (Norway). | ligrandista (Norway). | Router. hard and working you be all player to the work of the game seven in the most inof the game seven in the most inportant function of early ware the function of the same portant function of the game seven in t



### Rifleman MacGregor going strong at 39

Thirty-nine years of age and soon a father of three may be the time for many a local sportsman to retire from the field. But for Rifleman MacGregor of the Cameronians, life was only just begun.

-Footballer, hockey player, track was runner-up in the FARELE sprinter, boxing champion and championship held there. above all, veteran of more than 1,000 ring fights, the wee Scotsman (of the fly weight bantam Buffs in Hong Kong and repreweight class) is as fit as ever, sented his regiment in football He demonstrated his ring science and hockey. Last year, in the trito-good-effect against a teen age angular track and field meet opponent recently in the 40 Divithe crowd if not the title.

MacGregor says that he is just in the ring as an amateur," plain from Scotland. from the Shetlands," he said. "but that avas a long time ago." Mac joined the army when Bri- he added, proudly displaying his with a well-deserved win. The remained in the services since. He saw action in North Africa, Malta and took part in the whole ferred to the Cameronians be-

When peace came, "Mac" came number three. out to the Far East and served in | The good-humoured, popular Malaya where he took an active sportsman grinned a proud grin part in sports. "Mac" signalled as he left after his fight at Sek (A.B. Griffiths) 480. 5th "Tamor" his first association with His Kong that night to bring the news (Ldg. Tel Maihewson) 388. D.N.F. Majesty's Forces by winning the to his wife waiting in hospital. Kingdom in 1939. His other im- colleagues. But the one he wants Mrs. Weiss and Mrs. Moldere portant victories were when he most to benefit from his wealth of won the 1947-48-49 Hong Kong ring science. is seven-year-old

Served with Buffs MacGregor served with the

Mac was the sprinter in the Army. quartette that won the medley The square ring is "Mac's"

emphasised, "for more than 25 years, and have enjoyed it. The only thing I've lost -- besides many fights, are all my teeth. false dentures.

of the Italian campaign ending up cause, he says, "the missus is

### major sport, he says, "I've been

Kong, "Mac" got himself trans- "Hart" under the noses of the

### Championships

Rumford, Maine, February 5. weather was clear and cold for the running of the 4 by 10 kilometres relay race in the World Ski Champianships here today. There was bright sunshine but the temperature was only a little over 10 degrees Fahrenheit two hours before the race.

There was also a keen wind. Extraordinary precautions were taken by the favourites, Sweden and Finland, to keep their order of running secret, although the membership of each team. was fairly generally known.

A close race was expected with Norway chosen as the likely third blace finishers. France, Chanda the United States and Switzerwere also entered, but Canada and Switzerland with-(Continued from Page 11)". | coming, international xix-day drew from the race before the

Sweden and Finland have each pionships. Karl Erik Asstrom won the 11-mile for Sweden and Helkki Hasu of Finland was the Nordic combined winner. were due to run in the relay race

What wind there had been had

miles), the order was: (1) Hast come when he finished in front he, 20 mins, 35 sees). (5) United The Men's. Doubles 'A' and Commenting on the situation Robbenberger sold that Ger. (Finland), official time 39 mins. of Thoppy States (6) Connda.

"It" Division Lengues as well as in German motor packs ayold many blook in cycle 51.3 sees; (2) Tsepp (Swaden) 3) After 12 miles the leaders were The anchor men for the leaders and Ladles (resing Kenisherper, 1816 that polo. Before the war the teams were: Joleans in the contract of the leaders and Ladles (resing Kenisherper, 1816 that polo. Before the war the teams were: Joleans in the leaders and Ladles (resing Kenisherper, 1816 that polo.)

make the pace. Taepp, on the Inside line, however, held him and was well ahead at the end of the 250-metres opening stratch and was several yards In front when the runners begen the first short climb:

#### Still ahead

ahead at the first time control kila and Bjoern, in that order. point after four miles in 24 mins. The Swede's time was 1 hr., 59 21 sees. At that singe. Hasu's Imins. 44 sees. i time was 24 mins. 22 sees. And Landstroem took over the lead

died down by starting time and on the climb and was practically the third leg. His time to the conditions were perfect. The on Tracpp's heels at the first five-kilometres control point was Nayo-Depairs with a tally of snow had become crisp and dry, check point. Coming home Hass 23 mins, 39 sees the fastest up track 373 points. Second place also thus making the course lightning passed Taopp and completed the to them. Lonkila's time for the

### SAILING NOTES

FLEET

Lust Saturday's glassy calm did not deter five dinghles and seven whalers from creeping to the starting line in the hopes of a race. The gun was fired, but the tide proved stronger than will-power, which was

the only other mindence available, though "Hart's" whaler doggedly anchored to wait for a wind which came only too late. The races had to be abandoned at 4.15 p.m.

Sunday, at last, brought sun and wind and an encouraging turn-out in both classes. It also seemed to bring out even more junks and ferries than usual, and in the whalers especially the lookouts' lab was no rest cure. In the strong ebb tide the ships were swung across the wind and there were baffling patches of calm under

their lees. At the Eastern end of the course several boats were not giving the tide its due, and made further to windward than they needed to

weather No. 2 buoy. The dinghy race was won easily by "Jamaica"-2, but there was a .... long fight for record place between "Black Swan" and "Concord." "Morecambe Bay" swamped—a breezy day's only ensualty. The field of six boats was the lorgest seen so for.

Nine whalers started, the 10th ("Black: Swan") having falled: to get away in time. "Dampler'a" surf whaler, under 16 per cent handleap, was in front all the way, but her lead did not increase us the race progressed and it was not nearly enough to save, her

She had bad luck with the junks, and lost a lot on the first lap by coming too close under the lee of "Green Hanger." alt was noticeable that in a good breeze she gains little over the Montagu

wholers on a windward leg. The remainder resolved into two groups. In each the order was frequently changing, but "Alacrity" kept her challengers at bay and maintained her recent record any boat to be disqualified was When the Buffs left Hong "Maine," which collided with

Dinghy résults: 1st "Jamaica" 2 about to make me a father of (Mr. Jupp and A.B. Hitchens) 800 pts. 2nd. "Black Swan" (P.O. Lock) 678. 3rd. "Concord" (A.B. Baker) 576, 4th. "Jamalea" 1 "Morecambe Bay" (A.B. Orden).

> (P.O. Williams) 882 pts. 2nd. "Whitesand Bay" (Mr. Clark) 776. "Concord" (Mr. Clark) 690. "Morecambe Bay" (P.O. Goodall) . 610. 5th. "Hart" 2 (Lt. Jameson) 533. 6th. "Jamaica" 1 (Mr. Fox) 460. 7th: "Jamaica" 2 (Sergt. Rowberry, R'M.) 391. 8th. "Dampler" 1 (A.B. Bridge) 326,

--- Whaler-results: -Ist.-"Alacrity"

"Alacrity's" winning crew were Able Seamen James,""Pearce. Alkins and Shane.

U.S.Q. "Maine."

#### HOCKEY TRIALS

The Hong Kong Interport Hockey Trial which was to have been held yesterday at Sookunpoo was postponed till next week.

against Sweden's 1 hr. 20 mins.

Excitement at the closeness of the contest built up as Vellonen and ... Austrom .. came: In at. the

Dahl, running second for Norway, lost a little more time on the Finns and the Swedes, being and eventually pushed in front 8 mins, 22 secs. behind at the end of the second leg. The runners for the leading

teams on the third leg were:

Finland's Pagyo Lonkila, Sweden's Martin Lundstrom and Norway's Kristian Bloern. After 30 kilometres (about 182 Tacpp., the snow swirling from 1/2 miles) the lenders in the his fast-moving skis, was still third log were Lundstrom, Lon-

Hasu refused to be shirken of from Lonkila on the first half of